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CHINA.

Burning of a Coolie Ship—Six Hundred Chinese Perish in the Flames.

LONDON, June 6.—Advices from Hong Kong to May 26 have been received. The ship *Relief Ugara*, (?) from Macao for Callao, was burnt at sea, and 600 coolies perished in the flames. The particulars received are conflicting.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Quiet in Panama—Affairs Again Threatening in Guatemala—Peru Peaceful—Rebels Dispersed in Bolivia—The Outrage at Maracaibo.

ASPINWALL, June 2, via KINGSTON, June 5.—Affairs on the Isthmus of Panama are quiet. Guatemala dates to the 12th have been received. The revolutionists had captured Escuintla. The inhabitants were highly incensed at the Government, and affairs were threatening. Advices from San Salvador to the 19th of May state that affairs in the country were unsettled. It was rumored that XATRUCH was returning to San Miguel, and that Gen. MEDINA had started to oppose him. Advices from Peru state that peace prevails and the prosperity of the country is increasing. Bolivia dates to the 20th of May have been received. The Ministry were unpopular. The Indians were warlike and threatening, and had seized several hacienda. There were several candidates for the Presidency, and troubles were expected. Advices from Chili state that BUSTILLOS will be relieved of his portfolio by MONTEGO.

KINGSTON, June 5.—The British Consul at Maracaibo has returned to his post, the British Minister at Caracas having refused to send gunboats to his assistance.

MEXICO.

Annexation as a Means of Preference—Temples Still in Revolt—The Elections—Remains—Illness of Escobedo.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 30, via HAVANA, June 5.—The opposition newspapers accuse LERDO DE TEJADA of being the instigator of numerous assassinations to promote his own interests. The City of Tampico still holds out. Its expected fall was premature. The port of Vera Cruz has been closed, and Salina Cruz, on the Gulf of Tehuantepec, has been substituted. The Presidential election will be held on the 25th of June. The Government is increasing the force of the regular army, which, the opposition say, is to maintain JUAREZ in power. Minister ROMERO has triumphed over his accusers, but he may resign next week. The revolt of the Indictitlos, who penetrated the State of Chiapas, has been quelled. Gen. ESCOBEDO is ill of disease of the lungs.

WEST INDIES.

Great Fire in Gonaives—Dull Times in San Domingo.

KINGSTON, June 5.—Advices from Gonaives of the 1st contain an account of a terrible fire, which destroyed a large number of buildings. The prospect for a very heavy crop of coffee was excellent. San Domingo advices are to the effect that business is dull, but crops of all kinds are promising a heavy yield.

Destructive Fire at Gonaives—Sager's Speech—Dangerous Financial Condition—Heavy Failures.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Monday, May 29, 1871.

Gonaives was visited with a very destructive fire on the 13th, doing damage to the amount of eighty thousand dollars, gold. Nine stores and dwellings and a large quantity of merchandise, including one thousand bags of coffee were destroyed. The conflagration threatened at one time to spread over the whole town, as it seemed impossible to keep down the flames with the miserable little hand-engines with which the Fire Department is provided, but a general turning out of the citizens, who went vigorously to work with buckets prevented the further spread of the element.

SAGER'S speech at the opening of the Legislature was very brief, and pointed mainly to ward the desperate condition of the finances of the country, owing to the enormous quantity of paper money in circulation, a great portion of which is counterfeit, and so well done that it is impossible to detect it. The Government proposes to redeem the whole by a new issue, in hopes of putting the circulation into better shape. Something must be done soon or we shall have another revolution. The Legislature has as yet taken no action, although several measures have been proposed. Gold is now 300 to 400.

M. BAMEAU, who was offered a portfolio under the Government, has declined.

On the arrival of the *City of Port-au-Prince* there was not a barrel of flour in market, and we had to eat bread made from musty flour. The market is now well supplied. One heavy failure is reported in business circles, and it is feared that through the Summer there will be many more. The deliveries of coffee at the north have ceased. Business is fair.

GREAT STORM IN TEXAS.

High Water on the Coast—Galveston Partially Submerged—Railroads and Buildings Washed Away—Wrecks on the Coast.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, June 6.—A terrible storm has prevailed here since last Saturday noon. The wind, which was south-east, forced the waters of the Gulf on the island, covering to the depth of several feet the southern part of the city. About two miles of the track of the Galveston, Houston and Henderson Railroad is washed away two miles above the city. The bridge across the bay is safe. The steam-ship *Alabama*, of the Morgan line, with a cargo of cattle and sheep from Rockport to New-Orleans, went ashore twenty miles west of here, on Sunday, and will probably be a wreck. The bark *Veyanda Dura*, from Cardiff for Galveston, with a cargo of railroad iron, went down about six miles east of here on Sunday night. The crew, consisting of fourteen men, were taken yesterday from the mast, where they had been lashed since 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. Many buildings in the lower part of the city have been washed away. No lives were lost. The velocity of the wind on Sunday night, at 10 o'clock, was thirty-nine miles an hour. Six inches of rain has fallen since Saturday at 2 P. M. The storm also prevailed to a great extent at Houston, and much damage was done there. There were heavy mists at all the telegraph stations in the interior.

THE WAR OF RACES.

A New Phase—The Black Upholding the Interests of Labor and the White Violating Them.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6.—It was supposed on Saturday that the difference between the laborers and contractors had been settled, but last night at least 1,000 colored laborers and a few white men assembled at the City Hall, when several of their speakers uttered language calculated to inaugurate riot if not bloodshed. The result of these proceedings was seen today. An excited crowd of about 300 colored laborers met at the City Hall, their indignation seeming to be directed to a force of laboring men who had been set to work on the Seventh-street paving in South Washington by a contractor. The men were advised by several citizens and by an officer of Police not to molest the workmen, but this was of no effect. They started off in groups toward the Seventh Ward. This movement was reported to Police Head-quarters, and preparations were made to meet any emergency. Soon afterward the strikers appeared in another locality, where some twenty Irish laborers were employed on the street, and threatened if they did not throw down their tools they would kill them. Lieut. GOODWIN, who had been informed of their intentions, had sent a squad of twenty men to prevent any disturbance; and, while these threats were making, his men came up and dispersed the strikers, who moved off in groups, but subsequently came together on the corner of Seventh and F streets, apparently with the purpose of carrying their threats into execution. By this time Lieut. JOHNSON, with a force of about twenty mounted Police, came down at a gallop, and, riding among the malcontents, ordered them off the ground. Some of them refused to go, and threatened to knock the policemen off their horses. Finding the crowd was bent upon resistance and disorder, the Police arrested EDWARD WINFIELD, WILLIAM BROWN, JOHN GRAY, JOHN BROOKS and JOHN WRITING, five colored men, and the most boisterous, and sent them to the First Precinct Station-house under an escort of mounted men. The remainder of the party then moved off, threatening to return at 4 o'clock with reinforcements, and prevent the Irishmen from going to work. The mounted men were sent down, upon application of the contractor, to Major RICHARDS, and other precautions were taken to prevent a breach of the peace. The contractor has a number of Irishmen at work, paying them $1 50 a day. A dozen or more will be put on to-morrow. He is willing to employ colored laborers at the same pay. The Governor of the District and two other members of the Board of Public Works have addressed the contractor a note, suggesting, in view of the present difficulty with the laborers, and to preserve the peace of the city, that he suspend work on the Seventh-street improvement until such measures can be adopted as the occasion demands.

GOV. COOKE'S VIEWS.

In view of the present disturbances of labor interests in this Territory, Gov. COOKE, ex-officio President of the Board of Public Works, has addressed a letter to Mr. J. Y. W. VANDERBURG, a large contractor in this city, suggesting a suspension of work on his contracts for one day. The Governor states, as a reason for the suggestion named, that the Board of Public Works has considered the matter of the strike and its causes, and deem it proper to state briefly the views that will guide their action toward the laborers and contractors. The Board is desirous to deal out exact justice to both. The Governor says there is a limit to the ability to bear taxation, as well as a limit to the cheapness of labor, and that while labor should not be reduced to too low a point, it should not be placed so high as to make taxation onerous, check the progress of improvement, discourage new undertakings, or induce the influx or importation of competing labor from the surrounding country. That any policy which invites the introduction of outside labor must be injurious to the interests of resident working men. He states that the Board has made a comparison of the price paid for ordinary labor in the principal cities of the United States, where labor is more highly paid than in any other part of the world. This comparison satisfies them that $1 25 a day is too little, and $2, the price demanded by the strikers, too high. Under a system of high wages there would necessarily be a great decrease in the demand for labor, and a consequent increase in the number of days during which the working men would be without employment, and that, therefore, in every point of view, it is important that the rate of wages should be fixed at a figure which will secure the most constant demand for labor, and which will encourage improvements of all kinds, public and private, to the greatest possible extent. The Board have therefore decided that $1 50 for a day's work is as much as the tax-payers can afford to pay, and as little as the laborers can afford to take. In conclusion, the Governor wishes it to be distinctly understood that the Board, while it will protect the just interests of all, will not yield to violence nor countenance any attempt to intimidate or interfere with honest laborers by mobs or gangs of armed men. ALEXANDER BAY, an extensive coal-shipper of Georgetown, in a letter to Gov. COOKE this evening, states that the strike was operating most disastrously to the coal interests, and would, if continued, keep the companies from further shipments.

THE INDIANS.

Depredations in New-Mexico—Report of the Major of the Eighth Cavalry.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—A dispatch from Major CLERMERSELL, of the Eighth Cavalry, dated Fort Bascom, New-Mexico, May 12, reports the return of Lieut. CARRAHER from a scout. He captured 700 head of cattle, 57 burros and 10 ponies, also 22 Indians. The Indians did not make resistance, as they were caught unawares. They claimed to be Pueblos, but it was impossible to tell what they were, as no one at the post could converse with them. They were armed with bows and arrows and rifles. A letter from TRINIDAD ROMERO, Judge of the Probate Court, Los Vegas, New-Mexico, to Gov. PILE, states that official information has been received that on May 3 a band of about 100 Kiowa Indians attacked the ranche of SIMON BAGA, near the Dry Cimarron, carrying away twenty mules and two saddle-horses, the property of BAGA, which is estimated at $4,000. They also killed two drivers of herds, both residents of Upper Los Vegas. A letter from Col. GREGG, of the Eighth Cavalry, dated Fort Union May 12, discredits the reports of hostile Indians in the vicinity of the settlements on the Dry Cimarron.

The International Typographical Union—A Visit to Mount Vernon.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The delegates to the International Typographical Union of North America, now in session at Baltimore, arrived here this morning to accept an invitation from Columbia Typographical Union No. 101, of this Territory, to visit Mount Vernon and other points of interest on the Potomac. The guests took the steamer *Wenonah* for Mount Vernon, where interesting exercises were held. They returned to Baltimore this evening.

NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

The State Legislature to Elect a Governor Today.

A Decided Republican Majority Possibly Nullified by Accident and Design—Scenes at Concord Yesterday.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

CONCORD, N. H., June 6.—To-morrow, by the opening proceedings of the local Legislature, which then assembles, it will be definitely and finally decided where New-Hampshire stands politically, the people having failed at the election last March to choose a Governor; and consequently there is much excitement here, and attention is attracted in this direction from all political centres. It is considered likely that this decision will be in favor of the Democrats, notwithstanding the fact that the majority of the voters of the State are Republicans. This result, if it is effected, will be brought about by the so-called Labor Reform faction, insignificant in numbers, but possessed of the balance of power. The principal members of this clique were formerly Republicans, who have deserted their party solely on account of petty personal quarrels, and joined the Democrats. The organization of the House of Representatives will decide the question. When the votes were all in after election, it was found that the House stood as follows: Republicans, 155; Democrats, 128; Labor Reformers, 12. This result secured the Republicans one majority even if all the Labor Reformers were classed with the Democrats; but since then it has been learned that one Republican, JAMES LEGRO, of Lancaster, has decided to desert and vote Democratic, and this evening it has been ascertained that two more Republicans, Messrs. SCOTT, of Keene, and JOHNSTON, of Pittsburg, are severely ill and unable to be present to-morrow. Therefore, if the Democrats and "laborers" stand firm, as it is every way probable they will, the leaders having used the party lash vigorously, the House will stand Republicans 153, Democrats and Labor Reformers 165, or three majority for the Democrats, but the Republicans are by no means hopeless. They held a final caucus to-night, which was enthusiastic and harmonious. They nominated for Speaker JAMES O. ADAMS, of Manchester, and JOSIAH H. BENTON, Jr., of Lancaster, Clerk. The Democrats and Labor Reformers also held a caucus and nominated one last, WM. H. GOVE, of Weare, for Speaker, and JAS. R. JACKSON, of Littleton, Clerk. The books in the Democratic caucus to-night show 158 here; two are sick and four absent. Mr. GOVE was formerly an abolitionist of the most ultra sort. During the Fremont campaign he stumped the State and aspired to a seat in Congress. Since then he has, until the last season, kept out of politics, but held to his radical principles. His friends are surprised to see him harmonizing with the Democrats. The contest, as I have stated, will be in the House. The Senate is a tie, five to five, with two vacancies, to be filled by joint ballot of both Houses, and the choice in one district is constitutionally limited to a selection between two Republicans, who happen to have received the highest number of votes at the popular election.

The Legislature should decide on the Gubernatorial question to-morrow afternoon. If the Republicans are defeated this year they have no one to blame but themselves. They chose to utterly denounce and repudiate the Labor Reformers when they were appealing for a plank in the party platform, and thus drive them into the open arms of the Democrats, who were ready to grasp anything short of out-and-out Republicanism. The Democrats have been working like coal-heavers, all their members of the Legislature having been here since Sunday. There seems to be no foundation, it is gratifying to state, for the report that either side is attempting to secure success by bribery. Up here in New-Hampshire not quite all the Tammany tricks have yet been learned. Concord is crowded to-night with local and other politicians. Among the prominent and most active are Senators PATTERSON and CRAGIN, Representatives HIBBARD and PARKER, Ex-Congressmen ELA and STEVENS, Ex-Gov. HARRIMAN, now Naval Officer at Boston, Ex-Gov. HALE, Hon. EDMUND BURKE and Hon. JOHN G. SINCLAIR, who ran for Governor against HARRIMAN in 1865. There will be no fight at the opening to-morrow, so that the organization will be speedily effected.

Influx of Politicians—Excitement on the Increase—Feeling of the House.

CONCORD, N. H., June 6.—This city has never presented, politically, so active a scene as today. All the politicians of the State are here engineering for the organization of the Legislature to-morrow. All but ten of the 167 Representatives calculated upon as the Democratic Party strength were present last evening. The Democrats are claiming the organization of the House by ten majority, in which event the Senate vacancies will not be filled until after the Convention for counting the Governor vote, as the Senate will not organize if the Democrats are successful. G. W. N. PITTMAN, (Democrat,) of Bartlett, will be elected President of the Senate, and W. N. GOVE, (Labor Reform,) of Weare, Speaker of the House, and JAS. P. JACKSON, of Littleton, Clerk. The head-quarters of the Democracy are at the Eagle Hotel. The Republican head-quarters are at Rumford Hall, present an active appearance, and their members express themselves confidently as to the result. Republican representatives SCOTT, of Keene, and JOHNSTON, of Pittsburg, are ill, and not able to be present. The Republican candidates for Speaker will probable be Col. WILLIAM C. PATTEN, of Kingston, with J. H. BENTON, Jr., clerk. Well-informed politicians calculate on WESTON's election as Governor by a close vote—say five—and the Democrats say they can elect him even if the House is organized by the Republicans. The Republican members are not called upon to be present before this evening, but there is already a larger relative representation of members elect present than ever voted in the organization of the Legislature.

LATER.—There is no reason to change the prediction that WESTON will be elected. No doubt a majority of the House is made up of bona-fide Republicans, but for one reason or another they will coalesce with the Democracy. The Republicans, in caucus to-night, nominated JAMES O. ADAMS, of Manchester, Speaker; J. BENTON, Jr., Lancaster, Clerk; S. C. CLARK, Guilford, Assistant; CHAS. H. ROBERTS, Rollinsford, Sergeant-at-Arms; MOORE & LANGLEY, Nashua, State Printers. The Democratic caucus is with closed doors. No reporters or person other than a Representative is admitted. The fusion of Labor Reform and Democracy is under discussion. The nominations, however, are: WM. H. GOVE, of Weare, Speaker; JAS. P. JACKSON, Littleton, Clerk; JAMES N. COLBATH, Barnstead, Assistant Clerk; A. J. FOGG, Concord, Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Naval School Examination.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 6.—The concluding ceremonies attending the annual examination at the Naval School transpired today. Secretary ROBESON made a short address to the graduating class, and then handed to each cadet his diploma, calling the first five in their order of merit, and the others indiscriminately.

Condition of the New-Orleans Floods.

NEW-ORLEANS, June 6.—The water remains stationary one inch below the highest point reached. The people continue moving from the overflowed district. The President of the Gas-light Company states that if the water continues at its present height two days longer, the Company will be unable to supply gas. The city authorities and charitable committees continue the distribution of food, &c., to the needy in flooded quarters.

THE KU-KLUX.

What Gov. Orr, of South Carolina, Knows of Them—His Testimony Before the Congressional Committee.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The Subcommittee for the investigation of the alleged outrages in the South held a meeting, which lasted for three hours, today, and which was occupied throughout with the examination of Gov. ORR, of South Carolina. He stated he had no personal knowledge of the Ku-Klux, and did not believe they existed in his section of the State. He expressed the opinion that such an organization did exist in some counties of South Carolina, and that its object was to intimidate the colored people from voting at the election in 1870. He believed that the Constitution of the Council of Safety, published in the Charleston *Republican* last February, was the basis of the organization. He said the Legislature had been extravagant, and some of its members corrupt; condemned the present Election laws, and believed they would be repealed; thought the white people were very blameable for incompetency of rulers and inefficiency of legislation, because of their refusal to take part at the outset of the reconstruction in elections, and since by trying to get the colored men to vote the Democratic ticket in opposition to their friends, the Republicans. Gov. ORR returns to South Carolina to-night.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Considerable excitement was caused at Pittston, Penn., yesterday, by an attempt to fight a duel, about daylight, on the banks of the Susquehanna. CHARLES SCHLOSSINGER, alias "Five-cent Joe" and J. HARRIS, quarreled about a woman, and a duel was arranged, and the men were about to fire when the Police appeared, and the whole party fled. No arrests were made.

A party, composed of correspondents of eastern journals, have returned from the Yosemite, and report the trip as magnificent. The party was stampeded by a bear near Inspiration Point, but nobody was hurt. Visitors for the Yosemite are leaving San Francisco at the rate of from fifty to one hundred daily.

There is absolutely no truth in the recently-published Washington special, stating that Gen. SICKLES has notified the Spanish Government that the question of restoring the sequestered estates of American citizens in Cuba, &c., must be settled, as the alternative of the employment of force.

Rumors having been circulated that the Department of Agriculture has predicted a very short crop of cotton in 1871, it is proper to state that no estimates have been made officially. An estimate of comparative acreage and a statement of the condition of the crop will be made soon.

At the Rabbinical Conference which was held at Cincinnati yesterday, twenty-seven members were present from Ohio, New-York, New-Jersey, Kentucky, Louisiana, Kansas and Pennsylvania. Rev. Dr. HUBSH, of New-York, was elected President, and Dr. LILIENTHAL, of Cincinnati, Vice-President.

The bridge of the North Weare Railroad, over the Merrimac, at Manchester, N. H., was destroyed by fire yesterday. The cars and engines were all on the Manchester side of the river, though the running of trains will be soon resumed. The loss is very large.

The Homeopathists celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of the American Institute of Homeopathy by a Convention at Philadelphia, yesterday. Dr. GREENE delivered an address welcoming the delegates. The President, Dr. BUCKWITH, responded.

The condition of the Boston national banks June 5, was as follows: Capital, $47,500,000; loans, $114,564,740; specie, $1,788,848; legal-tender notes, $12,644,969; due from other banks, $21,182,194; due to other banks, $18,120,554; deposits, $81,583,621; circulation, $44,907,612.

The third annual exhibition of the National Photographic Association of the United States opened at Philadelphia, yesterday, in Horticultural Hall, with a fine display of photographic works of art from all parts of the world.

In the New Jerusalem Conference at Chicago yesterday, Rev. J. P. STUART, of St. Louis, read a paper on Sabbath recreations. He held that recreations were allowable on the Sabbath, but could not determine to what extent.

Mr. JOSEPH BELKNAP, appointed Inspector-General of steam-boats, has arrived at Washington and taken the oath of office. Today a meeting will be held of all the supernumerary inspectors, to consider the new steam-boat law.

The stone abutment and iron-girder bridge over the River Neath, Canada, three miles west of Paris, gave way on Monday night, precipitating twenty-four freight cars into the creek. No one was hurt.

The bodies of the unfortunate journalists, SCAGHT and LODGE, of the Montreal *Gazette*, who went over Lachine Rapids on the Queen's birthday, have been recovered. The funeral took place yesterday.

A young lady of Moultonboro', N. H., was outraged recently by H. V. SMITH, dentist, of Meredith village, while under the influence of ether. SMITH fled to the woods, and the people are in search of him.

A fire occurred yesterday morning at Philadelphia in Commerce-street, near SIXTH, in the printing-office of SPARGLER & DAVIS, destroying considerable property. The aggregate loss is about $110,000.

The receipts from internal revenue sources the first six days in the present month, compared with the same time last year, show a falling off of nearly five millions of dollars, owing to the new law.

An officer from Fort McPherson reports that two white men and one negro were scalped near that post by Indians on Saturday. One of the men is dead; the others are expected to survive.

Gov. HOFFMAN has disposed of all the bills passed by the last Legislature, except four or five; among these latter is the bill aiding the construction of the Midland and Adirondack Railroads.

Two sons of JOHN REYNOLDS, aged seventeen and nineteen years, residing near St. Albans, Vt., were drowned on Monday in the Lamoille River.

The annual meeting of the bond and stockholders of the St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute Railroad Company was held at St. Louis on Monday.

A Prussian sea Captain, residing in Folsom-street, San Francisco, committed suicide on Monday night, because his wife absconded with another Captain.

EHLERT BRAND, a young German, committed suicide in San Francisco by blowing his brains out with a pistol on receiving a refusal to an offer of marriage.

The yacht *Midnight*, of about twelve tons, was seized as a smuggler, at Spruce Head, Me., yesterday, by Inspector ALMER. Several cases of foreign liquors were found on board.

The Cuban insurgents have killed the celebrated Col. MIGUEL PIZARO and seven men, near Guantanamo. Small bands of insurgents have appeared near Trinidad.

The Secretary of State himself is authority for the statement that Mr. FISH is not to be one of the arbitrators in the case of the *Alabama* claims.

Considerable ill-feeling exists between the States of Wisconsin and Minnesota in consequence of the Duluth Canal imbroglio.

The Missouri Railroad is about to pass into the hands of new owners, with M. K. JESUP, of New-York, at the head.

HENRY REMICK, of Kittery, N. H., while in a drunken fit shot his son, inflicting a severe wound in his leg. His son is an artist.

In the Connecticut House of Representatives yesterday the death of RANSOM O. SMITH, member for Easton, was announced.

The annual meeting of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad will be held in Chicago today, for the election of three directors.

HOLLOWAY'S shoddy mills, west of Philadelphia, were burned yesterday afternoon. Loss, $20,000.

The President has recognized DIEGO MASSIAS as Consul of Para at Richmond.

The subscriptions to the new loan yesterday, were $90,000.

JOHN BRENNAN, of West Roxbury, Mass., is under arrest for beating his wife to death.

Work in the Portsmouth Navy-yard is temporarily suspended for want of funds.

Mayor ADAMS, of Portsmouth, N. H., was yesterday taken to the State Insane Asylum.

The Omaha *Republican* and Omaha *Tribune* have been consolidated.

WASHINGTON.

Progress of Printing the Population Volume of the Census.

The Arctic Meteorological Observations—New-Mexico—The Barragans at Rio—The Times Office in Washington—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The Government Printing Office has begun work upon the population volume of the census. The Census Office has placed a large amount of manuscript in the hands of the printer, and will be able to supply the remainder as fast as it can be set. An invoice of the last returns from Texas was received today, and there now remain only some divisions of small account from Mississippi to complete the entire work of the enumeration. Ninety-nine per cent. of the entire returns were in the Census Office the 1st of last December. Had the law made the enumerators responsible to the Census Office, instead of responsible, practically, to nobody, the other one per cent. would have been in, and the population volume printed months ago. The volume now printing will contain about five hundred pages quarto, and will for the most part be printed in double measure—that is, with two columns on a page—and without leads. The printer has placed a force of his best compositors at work on it. It is probable that as soon as the proofs are revised, without waiting for the volumes to be bound, a limited number of the sheets will be sent to the leading newspapers and statisticians, for the earliest possible dissemination and discussion. The other census volumes will follow about as fast as the printing office can do the work. Gen. WALKER, the Superintendent of the census, has gone on a visit to several cities North and East on business connected with his office.

THE ARCTIC EXPEDITION.

FRED. MYERS has been detailed from the Signal Service Office to accompany Capt. HALL's exploring expedition, to have charge of the meteorological observations, and the instruments to be used are now testing at the Weather Signal Office here. There is a thermometer that registers to 80° below zero—a temperature more refreshing to think of, with the heat 80° and upward above, than it will be in actual experience. It is doubtful if the *Polaris* gets away to-morrow, though every effort to that end is making.

THE GOVERNORSHIP OF NEW-MEXICO.

The papers are making various statements as to the probable decision of Ex-Senator WARNER in accepting the Governorship of New-Mexico, to which he was nominated by the President. The fact is that Senator WARNER telegraphed the President, from Alabama, promptly, after receiving the information of his nomination, that he could not accept, and he has never changed that determination, nor does he intend to. He will remain here a few days longer and then return to Alabama.

THE STEAMER NARRAGANSETT AT RIO.

The *Narragansett*, which is on her way to San Francisco, arrived at Rio de Janeiro on the 12th of April, with all on board well. No further news will probably be heard of her till she reaches her destination, which will not be for some months.

THE CHIEF-JUSTICE.

Chief-Justice CHASE leaves here to-morrow for New-York, stopping for a time, he has partially decided, at Philadelphia.

THE TIMES OFFICE IN WASHINGTON.

The TIMES' Washington office has been temporarily removed from its location, for many years past at No. 517 Fourteenth-street, to Rooms Nos. 101 and 102 Ebbitt House, first floor, entrance through the main corridor of the hotel. This is to give way to the Fourteenth-street extension of the Ebbitt House, to be erected this Summer, and the office will resume its old location when the new building is completed.

THE NEW-YORK CENTRAL CASE.

The New-York Central tax case appeal question, now before the office of the Solicitor of the Treasury, will probably await the return of Solicitor BANFIELD, who is expected back from California on Monday next.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

AN IMPORTANT REGULATION.

The Secretary of the Treasury has just issued a circular on the subject of the tax on tonnage, addressed to Collectors of Customs and others, from which it appears the term "license" in the first proviso of the act of July 14, 1862, shall be held to extend to all vessels authorized by law to engage in the coasting trade, whether sailing under registers or enrollment and licenses. The tonnage duty now imposed on all ships, vessels or steamers engaged in foreign and domestic commerce is to be levied but once within one year, and when paid by such ship, vessel or steamer, no further tonnage tax shall be collected within one year from date of such payment, and hereafter, in cases of vessels making regular daily trips between any port of the United States and any port in the Dominion of Canada, wholly upon interior waters, not navigable to the ocean, no tonnage or clearance fees shall be charged against such vessels by the officers of the United States, except upon the first clearing of said vessel in each year enrolled or licensed. Vessels departing from or arriving at a port in one collection district, to or from a port in another collection district, and also touching at intermediate foreign ports, shall not thereby become liable to the payment of entry and clearance fees or tonnage tax, as if from or to foreign ports, but such vessels shall, notwithstanding, be required to enter and clear.

FLORIDA AGRICULTURE.

The following are the productions of agriculture in the State of Florida, as shown by the census of 1870:

Improved land, acres	728,172
Wood land, acres	1,438,796
Other unimproved, acres	211,883
Present cash value of farms	$9,047,920
Value of farming implements and machinery	$606,074
Amount of wages paid during the year, including value of board	$1,257,060
Horses, number	42,000
Mules and asses, number	3,832
Milch cows, number	41,052
Working oxen, number	6,282
Other cattle, number	82,701
Sheep, number	32,189
Swine, number	139,306
Value of all live stock	$8,712,137
Rye, bushels	540
Indian corn, bushels	2,225,064
Oats, bushels	114,304
Barley, bushels	12
Rice, pounds	681,600
Tobacco, pounds	157,455
Cotton, bales	35,322
Peas and beans, bushels	44,864
Potatoes, Irish, bushels	10,210
Potatoes, sweet, bushels	720,450
Orchard products	$42,555
Wine, gallons	1,000
Produce of market gardens	$21,285
Butter, pounds	160,800
Cheese, pounds	20
Milk sold, gallons	3,000
Hay, tons	17
Sugar-cane, hhds	855
Molasses, cane, gallons	94,230
Wax, pounds	6,000
Honey, pounds	20,004
Forest products	27,000
Value of home manufactures	$120,033
Value of animals slaughtered, or sold for slaughter	$630,669
Estimated value of all farm productions, including betterments, and additions to stock	$8,908,796

SOUTHERN CLAIMS.

The Southern Claims Commissioners held a public session today, and had under examination the claims of MOSES WISTOCK, of Columbia, S. C.; VIRGIL P. CORBETT, JOEL E. PARR and RANDOLPH BIRCH, all of Virginia. Among the witnesses was Ex-Gov. ORR, of South Carolina, who stated that he had always thought that the Hebrew residents of the South were loyal to the United States, and that they were generally averse to rendering military service to the Confederacy or upholding the rebel cause with other material support. He also mentioned, in speaking of the conscription laws, that he himself had always sought to release from service and the burdens of the war those who were opposed to secession of the States.

THE CUBAN CLAIMS.

The United States and Spanish Commission met today. Present, Judge OTTO, Commissioner for the United States; Señor POTTERAD, Commissioner for Spain, and Gen. CUSHING, counsel for the United States. Absent, Baron LAMMERS, the umpire, and J. M. CARLISLE, counsel for Spain. They considered the rules and regulations to be agreed upon for the government of the Commission, but did not take final action upon the subject. An adjournment of several months may be taken to allow the preparation and presentation of claims. The Secretary of State will give notice of the time for the presentation of claims.

REVENUE STAMPS TO BE CHANGED.

The Internal Revenue Bureau will change all the stamps on or about the 1st of August, substituting two kinds—one called the sensitive stamp, so that the use of acids to remove cancelling marks will destroy them beyond recognition; the other to be printed in such colors as to prevent imitation by means of photography.

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Record.

The following is the Signal Service report of the state of the weather and wind last night, Tuesday, June 6, at 11:47 o'clock:

Place of Observation.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Dew Point.	Relative Humidity.	Force of the Wind.	State of the Weather.
Augusta, Ga.	29.96	79	S.		Light.	Clear.
Baltimore	29.94	75	S. W.		Gentle.	Cloudy.
Boston	29.92	68	S. W.		Gentle.	Fair.
Buffalo	29.87	73	S. W.		Gentle.	Lt. Rain.
Charleston, S. C.	29.87	77	....		Calm.	Clear.
Cheyenne	29.46	64	N. W.		Gentle.	Fair.
Chicago	29.74	66	N. W.		Fresh.	Clear.
Cincinnati	29.81	74	W.		Light.	Threat'g
Cleveland	29.76	71	S.		Light.	H. Rain.
Corinne	29.77	67	W.		Calm.	Fair.
Detroit, Mich	29.83	69	S. W.		Gentle.	Fair.
Dubuque, Iowa	29.64	70	....		Gentle.	Fair.
Indianapolis	29.78	71	W.		Gentle.	Fair.
Knoxville	29.87	72	....		Calm.	Cloudy.
Memphis	29.87	72	N. W.		Light.	Fair.
Milwaukee	29.77	67	N. W.		Fresh.	Fair.
Mobile, Ala	29.91	79	....		Calm.	Clear.
Nashville	29.89	75	W.		Light.	Cloudy.
New-London	29.93	63	S. E.		Gentle.	Clear.
New-Orleans	29.91	80	....		....	....
New-York	29.91	64	E.		Fresh.	Fog.
Norfolk	29.92	70	E.		....	Clear.
Omaha	29.84	69	....		Calm.	Clear.
Oswego	29.61	77	S.		Fresh.	Fair.
Philadelphia	29.90	73	....		....	Cloudy.
Pittsburg	29.84	60	E.		Gentle.	Threatg
Portland, Me	29.94	58	S. W.		Fresh.	Cloudy
Rochester, N. Y.	29.93	67	S.		Fresh.	Threatg
San Francisco	30.02	55	S. W.		Fresh.	Clear.
Savannah, Ga	29.90	76	....		Calm.	Clear.
St. Louis, Mo.	29.86	72	S. W.		Gentle.	Clear.
St. Paul	29.75	64	S. W.		Gentle.	Clear.
Toledo, Ohio	29.88	69	W.		Gentle.	Clear.
Washington	29.85	71	S. E.		Fresh.	Fair.
Wilmington	29.90	75	E.		Light.	Clear.
Lynchburg	29.92	73	....		....	Clear.
Cape May	29.96	67	E.		Gentle.	Fog.
Grand Haven	29.84	71	S. W.		Fresh.	Clear.
Davenport	29.85	67	N. W.		Fresh.	Clear.
Leavenworth	....	70	....		Calm.	Clear.
Cairo, Ill	29.99	74	....		Calm.	Fair.
Burlington	29.73	71	S.		Brisk.	Fair.

Barometer corrected for elevation and temperature.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7—1 A. M.—The barometer has resumed stationary at the Pacific and the Rocky Mountain and the Gulf Stations. A well-defined area of low pressure exists over the lower lakes and thence to Maine. Easterly winds have prevailed on the mid-Atlantic coast. South and southerly winds from the Eastern States to Ohio. Rain is reported from Ohio to Lake Ontario, and clear or clearing weather to the westward and in the Southern States. This is the close of the storm experienced in Texas on the 4th and at Key West on the 1st of June.

PROBABILITIES.

Clear and partially clear weather are probable for the country south and west of Pennsylvania on Wednesday. The threatening and rainy weather will probably clear away from the Middle and Eastern States without high winds.

City Meteorological Report.

The following observations show the temperature, &c., yesterday, at the Central Park Mineral Springs:

	6 A.M.	9 A.M.	3 P.M.	6 P.M.
Temperature, Degrees Fahrenheit	64	69	74	71
Stand of Mer. in inch	29.90	....	29.80	29.80
Wet-bulb hygrometer at noon, degrees Fahrenheit. 68.				

Pensions for Rebels—Letter from Mr. Greeley.

The Fort Scott (Kansas) *Monitor* of Friday morning last publishes a correspondence which, it says, passed between Mr. W. W. DILLARD of that town and Mr. HORACE GREELEY in August, 1869, and has never before been made public. It opens with a long letter from Mr. DILLARD, in which he praises Mr. GREELEY for becoming voluntary surety on the release bond of JEFF. DAVIS, and then makes the following extraordinary suggestion:

"Let Congress pass an act providing for the widows, orphans and disabled soldiers of the late Southern army upon the same footing with those of the Northern army. It is true that the conquered must submit to the terms of the conqueror, but if the desire be generous to restore peace and harmony by a humane regime, way here is presented a weapon that will disarm all the discordant elements of intestine strife."

The writer says that he was raised in Eastern Virginia, and served in the Southern army, but is in favor of paying the national debt; and he calls upon Mr. GREELEY to become the leading advocate of his plan to pension the widows, orphans and disabled soldiers of the Confederacy. In reply, he received the following letter:

NEW-YORK, AUG. 18, 1869.

DEAR SIR: I concede that your suggestion merits consideration. I tried in 1864 to effect a peace through a proffer to the slave States of $400,000,000 as compensation to the real citizens for the loss of their slaves. I could have had Mr. LINCOLN's assent to that proposition; but the South was not then ready to listen to us

EUROPEAN MAIL NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON AND JAVA.

The Inman steam-ship *City of Washington*, which left Liverpool on May 18, and Queenstown on May 24, and the Cunard steam-ship *Java*, from the same ports, respectively, on May 27 and 28, reached this City yesterday, with advices fresher by three days than those previously at hand.

ENGLISH AFFAIRS.

The Decline of the Derby Bet—Honors to the Victor—Progress at the Tichborne Trial—A "Hitch" in the Testimony—Another Mystery—The Morals of Brighton—The Lord Chamberlain and the French Drama—Mr. Sothern's New Piece.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Saturday, May 27, 1871.

Mr. T. HUGHES made a spirited protest in the House of Commons against an Adjournment over Wednesday, in order that members might attend the great rendezvous of blackguardism, or Epsom Downs. In Lord PALMERSTON's time Mr. BRIGHT used to deliver himself of similar rebukes; and there can be no doubt that there is something very absurd in the Legislature of a great country deliberately suspending its sittings in order to attend a horse-race. The absurdity, perhaps, is mainly on the surface, but I fancy that the practice will soon be discontinued. Indeed, there are already some signs that the Derby has seen its best days, and is on its decline. It is the habit to speak of it as a great national holiday, but in truth, it was a comparatively select affair before the railways made Epsom a kind of suburb of the metropolis. When one could get there for a few shillings and in less than an hour, everybody went, and for a year or two the attendance kept on increasing enormously. But while the crowd certainly found a great sight in itself, it spoilt the pleasure of the day in other respects. The Derby has now got to be very "common" and people who have seen it half a dozen or a dozen years running, grow tired of it and note the dusty road, the overcrowded trains, the struggling, hustling, stewing mob, and all the rest of it a "horrid bore." I cannot speak from personal observation, but from all I hear there was this year a marked falling off in the numbers present. The Prince of WALES, of course, was there, and dined at night with Baron MAYER ROTHSCHILD, M. P., the owner of the winning horse. The Baron, brother of LIONEL, the head of the English house, has been for some years on the turf, and has a very high character among sporting men for his dinner-esteemedness and integrity, and for this reason and also because he has hitherto not been very fortunate with his horses, his triumph on the present occasion has given very general satisfaction. There is one good feature about the Derby, and it is this, that it is an honest race, one of the few honest races in the country. I attribute this chiefly to the fact that at this race it is very difficult, if not impossible, to cheat. The course is a long one, with an awkward curve down hill toward the winning post, so that a horse must either keep its place in the race or fall back altogether. Moreover the contest is closely watched throughout, and the interests staked on it are of such magnitude that trickery would be severely punished. A year or two since, when there was a suspicion of foul play in regard to the Marquis of HASTINGS' *Lady Elizabeth*, which was backed for enormous sums, but proved a complete failure, the Police had some difficulty in protecting the Marquis's trainer and jockey from personal violence on the course.

THE TICHBORNE TRIAL.

The Tichborne case has been going on smoothly till Thursday, when one of the witnesses for the claimant broke down under cross-examination. On the previous day he pleaded illness, and was released from the witness-box. When he afterward returned there he was at first very cool and collected. He had been a trooper in the Carabineers, and ROGERS' servant when he was an officer in that regiment; and he was positive enough as to the claimant being his old master, notwithstanding his greatly increased bulk and other changes in appearance. The opposing counsel pressed him very hard as to whether he had been getting up the case for the claimant, coaching him in his evidence, and bringing people to swear to his identity; and although he would admit nothing, he was equally resolute in denying nothing. He would not say he had not declared that the claimant was an imposter, and took refuge in a monotonous repetition of "I don't remember," "I forget one way or another." Of course the claimant is not responsible for such conduct, and it certainly does not follow that the claim is fraudulent just because this witness is a drunken, disreputable fellow, evidently determined to make a good thing out of his "old master," in one way or another. The claim is, therefore, baseless. Still as the sums of proof lies on the claimant, all sorts of wild stories are now afloat in regard to this suit. One is that the claimant is really Sir ROGER, but that his narrative of his adventures is, in a large degree, a fabrication, in order to conceal the fact that he committed a murder in South America, for which he might still be called to account. Again it is rumored that the counsel for the actual possessor of the baronetcy and estates is prepared to prove that the claimant is HORTON, a butcher, on the evidence of HORTON's sister herself. If this happens, there will be a strange conflict of testimony, a sister swearing to a brother, and an old lady swearing to a son, and one or other being necessarily wrong.

ANOTHER MYSTERY.

To the list of murders now undergoing judicial investigation another must be added. Three nights since a young fellow was found stabbed to the heart in a house in Westbourne Grove. He had been dining tête-à-tête with a married lady there, who was found in a state of much excitement, and with her dress soaked with blood. The young man, (who proved to be the son of Sir FRANCIS MOON, a former Lord Mayor,) died a few minutes after a doctor had been called in, and there was no doubt that he had been stabbed with a carving-knife. The question is whether, as the lady asserts, he did it himself by accident when struggling with her, or whether she struck the blow. She was arrested, then released, on her husband finding bail, and has been again apprehended.

ENGLISH MORALITY.

No foreigner can ever hope to understand English notions of decency and morality; and the bewilderment of our numerous guests from across the Channel has just been much increased by an edict issued by the Lord Chamberlain, who acts as censor of the stage, prohibiting the representation of certain French plays. The offense for which these pieces are condemned is that they deal too freely with breaches of the seventh commandment. The oddest circumstance is, that English folk, who are horrified at any reference to adultery on the stage, are quite ready to study it in its minutest details in the reports of the Divorce Court, while, on the other hand, foreigners are altogether scandalized by our public inquiries into such cases. For my own part, I think there can be little doubt that the morbid anatomy of the passions had better be kept away from the stage, but at the same time the Lord Chamberlain might as well have spared his interdict. One of the pieces which he prohibited, "Nos Intimes," was played night after night in the preceding year, and several nights this year, without any notice being taken of it. The chief incident in it is a married lady being chased by a too-ardent lover round the room, and it must be confessed that the situation is, to say the least, hazardous. After the Lord Chamberlain's interference, the performers agreed to modify this part of the play, and the prohibition was then withdrawn. Since his Lordship is so particular about French plays, it is odd he should never have found anything the matter with Italian operas. If "Nos Intimes" and "La Supplice d'un Femme" are so bad, what is to be said of "Traviata," "Lucrezia Borgia," and such like? "Traviata" is one of the stock pieces of the opera, and is given a dozen times every season, but when, a few years ago, it was proposed to bring out an English play founded on the same story, the Lord Chamberlain was down on it directly and it was never allowed to be produced. The performances of the company of the Comedie Francaise have been somewhat disarranged, partly by the intervention of the Lord Chamberlain, and partly by the detention of M. COT, the manager and leading actor, in Paris, whither he had gone off a day or two to see after his private affairs. His house is said to have been destroyed by a shell.

MR. SOTHERN'S NEW PIECE.

Mr. SOTHERN, who is now quite recovered, is playing his "English Gentleman" at the Haymarket, but it does not promise to be so popular as his "Lord Dundreary." In one respect he is placed at a disadvantage in regard to the new piece, for having refused the first version of it which Mr. BYRON wrote for it, the author brought it out on his own account, playing the hero, or SOTHERN's part, himself. The present play differs considerably from the rejected one, but the leading idea is the same—that of a dull-witted young fellow, whose good qualities and latent intelligence are developed under a series of vicissitudes. A new comedy, by Mr. ALBERY, author of the "Two Roses," and apparently the successor of TOM ROBERTSON, is announced for to-night at the Vandeville. F. J. H.

SCENES IN PARIS.

How the French Re-Entered their Capital—The Fighting in the Streets—Barricades and Mitrailleuses in the Rues and Boulevards.

Paris (May 22) Correspondence London Daily News.

I can hardly tell how or why I found myself on the Place du Roi de Rome, as nearly as possible as I could guess, at 5½ in the morning—my watch had run down. The battery was silent and deserted; the guns had been carried off. Looking down the Boulevard de l'Empereur I saw a battery of horse artillery coming up it at a walk, with detachments of sailors on the side-walks. A few Communist corpses were lying about the battery. What were these troops, advancing with a deliberation so equable? Not cavalry, the beaten and panic-stricken men of the Commune. No, that could not be; they were MOMAHON's men, coming on to the Trocadero. I did not wait for them, but made for a side street toward the Champs Elysées, came out on the beautiful avenue, about midway between the Arch of Triumph and the Point; and, looking round the noble pile which commemorates French valor, stood several battalions of men in red breeches. They were packed there seemingly as densely as had been the Bavarians on the 1st of March, but they were not so pacific. There was no fire being delivered from the big barricade at the Place Concorde and in the Champs Elysées gardens, but National Guards were showing about it, and now and then making a pot at the dense masses of the Versailliats. They, for their part, seemed to take things very deliberately, and to make quite sure of their ground before advancing. They had a field battery in position just below the Point, which swept the Champs Elysées very neatly. I saw several shells explode about the Place de la Concorde, and was very glad when I had run the gauntlet, and was on the further side of the avenue of the Elysian Fields. Penetrating casually in a north-westerly direction, I found myself in the Rue Billault, a wide street nearly parallel to the Avenue de la Reine Hortense, which extends away from the Arch of Triumph, nearly at right angles to the Champs Elysées. In this avenue a person I spoke with told me the Versailliats had some upon the Communists throwing up a barricade, and had shelled them from it, but completing it by taking it from them at the point of the bayonet. There I got very nearly shot in, for as I talked there was a shout, and here were the Versailliats, even with artillery at their head, coming marching down the Avenue Friedland toward the Boulevard Haussmann. I was just in time to dodge across their front, and then, tracking them by side streets, I found they pressed steadily on, firing not much, but still somewhat, till they reached the open space near the top of the Boulevard Haussmann, in front of the Caserne de la Pepinière. Here was a noble position and no mistake. From it they could sweep the Boulevard Malesherbes straight down to the Madeleine, and so open up their way into the Rue Royale, and down it into the back of the barricade at its end and facing the Place de la Concorde. There, too, they could sweep the Boulevard Haussmann along its whole length, and by a steady fire along those thoroughfares so far prevent concentration and out that part of Paris practically into three attacks. Recrossing the Boulevard Haussmann, I made my way by devious paths toward the Palais Royal. Shells were still bursting all over the city. They were time-fuse shells, and I could see many of them burst in a white puff of smoke high in air. Several fell on and about the Bourse as I was passing, and the neighborhood was silent and deserted, save for National Guards in small parties, in ninety, hurrying backward and forward. I could not tell whether they were advancing or retreating. Everywhere barricades were being hastily thrown up, but I dodged them all till I got to the Place du Palais Royal. Here two barricades were being constructed, one across the neck of the Rue St. Honoré, another across the top of the Rue de Rivoli. For the latter, the material was chiefly furnished by a great number of articles not unknown in England under the name of "Sommier Tucker," which were hurriedly pitched out of the windows of the establishment, and of mattresses from the Guards' barracks at the Tuileries. The Rue St. Honoré barricade was formed of paving-stones, cabs, omnibuses, riagos, and I was compelled, *nolens volens*, to assist in the construction of it. It is pleasant, even if you are forced to do a thing, to attempt doing it in a satisfactory manner; and, observing that an embrasure had been neglected in the construction of the barricade, I devoted my energies to remedying this defect. I was not sorry, however, to be released from my task after a quarter of an hour's work, the more so as the shell-fire was increasing in warmth and proximity. I noticed that from the great barricade at the top of St. Honoré the Communists had got one gun at least into action, and were using it to fire somewhere in the direction of the Arch of Triumph. It was impossible to fulfill my original intention, which was to cross to the Ministry of War, which I judged would form an interesting, if not edifying spectacle; therefore I returned, in the direction of the New Opera-house. Crossing the Boulevard, I noticed that the Versailliats must have gained the Madeleine, between which and their position at the Pepinière Barracks no obstacles in the shape of a barricade intervened, for they had thrown up across the end of the Boulevard de la Madeleine a barricade of trees and casks. It was as it turned out, not a barricade, but an emplacement for artillery. The Communists, on their side, had a temporary barricade, chiefly of provision wagons, across the Boulevard at the head of the Rue de la Paix. By 9½ o'clock the Versailliats had advanced which they swept with a heavy musketry fire. Two lads were shot down close to me at the end of the Rue de Lafayette. There was no return fire of any account. Many Communists passed, falling back, declaring as usual that they had been betrayed. At 1 stood, there was a scrimmage at a rough, hastily thrown-up barricade in the Boulevard Haussmann, about 500 yards nearer Papinière than the Rue de Lafayette. It was carried by the Versailliat marines. I could see them jumping up on the barricade. Everyone, as I learn, the Versailliats were led by gendarmes and sailors or marines. The National Guards fell back, dodging behind lamp-posts and in doorways, and firing wildly as they retreated. This drew a still heavier fire from the Versailliat barricade. A bullet struck the front of a lamp-post, behind which I stood, and fell flattened in the gutter. Would you believe it, that a woman stepped out from the gable of the Rue de Lafayette, picked up the bullet, and walked coolly back, clapping her hands with glee!

COMMUNISTS VANISHING.

What curious fetich ceremony is this going on at the corner of the Rues Lafayette and Laffite? There is a wagon, a mounted Spahi, nearly as black as night, and an officer. A crowd is all round, and in the centre is a blazing fire of papers. Ah! they are burning the ledgers of the Bank, or the title-deeds of the surrounding property! No. It is the papers of the battalion which are being thus formally burnt, that they might not bear witness against its members, I suppose. A sign, surely, of the beginning of the end. Other signs were not wanting. English passports were ostentatiously inquired after. When men failed of getting out, it was found that in the morning the Prussians had let out train after train, shunted each at St. Denis, and allowed nobody to go on. Now the trains were stopped, the gates were closed. A woman is said to have been fired upon this morning on making an attempt to get out. The Prussian guns are to back the ringleaders of the Commune for the Versailliats. But to return to the fighting. The Communists retreated ever, throwing up barricades every where, so that circulation became almost impossible. They seemed to be heading toward Montmartre, which had opened fire on the Trocadero, from which the chief share of the Versailliat artillery fire appeared to come. The Versailliats seemed to understand this policy, and made some haste to obviate it. By 12 they had gained the Place de l'Europe, near the Western Terminus, on their way to Montmartre, thus completing a definite and well marked line from the western terminus riverward by the Madeleine and the Place de la Concorde. Of the other side of the river I can say nothing. Some of the Versailliats are as far as a line from the Pont de la Concorde backward to the Ecole Militaire, but there is no certainty. It is now 4 o'clock P. M., for I have had to write by short spells at a time. At about 2 o'clock the Versailliats had fairly established themselves in the line I have described, and were making the Boulevard Haussmann terrible by heavy gunfire over it. Well from my elevation I could see the Communists barricade at the Boulevard des Capucines, at the top of the Rue de la Paix. This was a crushing fire, and the barricade was soon shattered. All could see the Communists demoralized, yet still working hard everywhere at barricades, and the *generale* is sounding. No Generals are to be found.

The Work of Destruction—The Tuileries Aflame—Additional Incendiarism—A Burning Metropolis Become a Spectacle.

May 24 Correspondence of Daily Telegraph.

It was about 11 last night when I saw from a distance the first glare of light in the direction of the Tuileries. At first, scarcely daring to believe that the danger of fire threatened the palaces in which Paris and all France take pride, I imagined that the glare came from the Hotel de Ville; but soon the broadening glow was pierced with tongues of flame which fixed but too surely the proximity of this conflagration. Ascending to an upper story in the Rue Chaillot, I had a full view of the burning palace. The fire commenced in the wing of the palace called that of the Prince Imperial, which lies to the south-west; gradually the flames made their way northward with a rapidity and a completeness of execution that scarcely needed the heavy vapors of petroleum floating on the atmosphere to corroborate the suspicion that the conflagration had been the result of preparation and design. It was painful to reflect, as one by one the full rows of windows burst from darkness first into a deep red glow and then into a greater vomiting forth upward streams of yellowish white flame—it was painful exceedingly to think on the havoc that was being wrought within the splendid pile, but a few moments saw the haunt of all that was luxurious, brilliant, refined and distinguished, gay and bright in the highest social life of France. The flames raged unchecked—indeed uncheckable—along the corridors, through the spacious salles and saloons, roaring up the grand staircases, sweeping with irresistible might along the splendid facade. At 2 o'clock the clock tower, with its conspicuous cupola, had crashed into the ruin below, and the whole front, from the corner on the quay right up to the Rue de Rivoli was one mass of solid flame, rolling and roaring as roof and wall crumbled and cracked as its fierce assault. Gradually I saw the fire burning itself lower on the southern wing, while the flames in the northern wing which had not yet devoured their prey, emerged, shot high into the heavens. Within the long range of the building a strong body of fire, as the firemen would say, still remained, promising to last far into the morning; and circulation in the small hours, in a quarter where either the Communists had been so lately, or the Versailliats had not yet come, did not present such assurance of safety as to tempt me on a voyage of exploration. Bidding adieu, therefore, to a spectacle of which it is as difficult to convey the grandeur as it is to estimate the baneful crime of those who have brought it about, I retired for the night—rather the morning, with a heavy heart, for as to what the day might bring forth. The insurgents were evidently driven to bay; they had threatened, we all knew, to surrender Paris to the Versailliats only as a heap of ruins; and the destruction of the Tuileries seemed a grim earnest of their intention to keep their word.

ADDITIONAL HORRORS.

The morrow brought new horrors. At daybreak I had left the Tuileries still burning, as if the flames were loth to leave their rich feast; and as the morning advanced they gradually dwindled away, although ever and again a dull boom from within, and a new flight of flame and sparks, seemed to show that the infernal ingenuity of the Communists had stored the lower parts of the palace with an almost superfluous abundance of combustibles. But I cared little for the insane idea that the destruction of the palace of the French Kings was only part of a hideous scheme to lay in ashes all the great buildings remaining in the hands of the reckless remnant of the revolt. The night early sun was obscured by clouds of smoke rising from many points on both banks of the river. During the night the insurgents had fired the Ministry of the Interior, in the Rue Fasbourg St. Honoré opposite the Palace of the Elysée; the Ministry of Finance, in the Rue de Rivoli; the Conseil d'Etat, the Palace of the Legion of Honor, and it is said also the Ministry of War. But these were only trifling acts of vandalism and insolent fury compared with what the day was yet to reveal. Returning from the Tuileries, the insurgents in the early morning abandoned and fired the Palace and Galleries of the Louvre; and as the forenoon advanced the flames, stretching back from the old quadrangle, threatened the long-extending wings and courts which inclose the Place Napoleon III, and the Place Carrousel. By this time the magnitude of the misfortune threatened to Paris had impressed even the military authorities with the need for instant action. Firemen began to arrive from Versailles and from places within easy reach of Paris, as well as the liberated arrondissements themselves; and the most strenuous efforts were made, by cutting off the communication and breaking down walls to prevent the backward spread of the conflagration. So far as could be seen, down to a pretty late hour in the afternoon, there was prospect of saving at least a portion of the Louvre; but the Palais Royal, which had either taken fire from the sparks and burning splinters sent forth by the conflagration at the Louvre, or had been fired independently by the Communists, was unprovided with the calamity at an early hour in the forenoon, and is now only a skeleton of bare blackened walls.

A SIGHT-SEEING POPULATION.

As the day went on the Place de la Concorde appeared to be in the centre of a whirlpool of smoke and flame. In the Rue Royale houses were burnt out or still burning. Further to the east the Ministry of Finance; beyond that the Palais Royal and the Louvre; still further, the Archives and the Hotel de Ville; on the Ile de la Cité the great Hospital; on the Rive Gauche, the Palais de Justice on the huge barracks near the Pont St. Michel—let us hope neither the Hotel Dieu nor Notre Dame! then round on the south bank, the Pantheon, the Luxembourg, the St. Geneviève Library, and the Hotels of the Legion of Honor and the Council of State—these great edifices, many of them, with their palaces, churches, or State edifices—were all burning as once. Besides, private houses by hundreds had been set on fire by shells, or had been ignited by the more deliberately-planned conflagrations. It is simply impossible, in the frightful confusion and uncertainty which everywhere prevail in this city of distracted people, to be certain with anything like exactitude either the precise seats of the fires, the chance of their spreading, or the amount of the damage already effected. As for the latter, it is almost sure to be found something beyond all computation. I must add, that I could have fancied, if I asked my opinion of the Parisians, if I had perceived that the fearful scenes of last night and today had had the effect of raising them, to any appreciable extent, above their ordinary level of frivolity. To them, for the most part, their burning capital seems to be little more than a spectacle. The streets, houses, and what I might call shallow-heartedness of the citizens, whether as regards the horrible scenes of carnage in their streets or the destruction of their splendid historic monuments, is something that to be believed must be seen. The prevailing expression is one of vague, stupid wonder, almost incredulity, to be succeeded, I have no doubt, to-morrow, or the day after, when the Versailliats shall have made it quite safe to go near the ruins—by especial activity in organizing sight-seeing parties to visit the blackened remnants of their city's great ornaments.

Communist-Hunting and its Terrors—Slaughter in the Streets—Corpses in the Gutters—Bagnios as Jailers.

May 26 Correspondence of the Daily News.

The Versailliat troops collected about the foot of the Rue St. Honoré were enjoying the fine game of Communist-hunting. The Parisians of civil life are callous to the last drop of their thin, sour, white blood. But yesterday they had cried "Vive la Commune!" and submitted to be governed by this said Commune. Today they rubbed their hands with livid cursish joy to have it in their power to denounce a Communist and reveal his hiding-place. Very eager at this work are the dear creatures of the women. They know the rat-holes into which the poor devils have got, and they guide to them with a fiendish glee which is a phase of the many-sided sex. *Voilà!* the braves of France returned to a triumph, after a shameful captivity! They have found him, the miserable! Yes; they drag him out from one of the purlieus which HAUSSMANN had not time to sweep away, and a guard of six of them hem him round as they march him into the Rue St. Honoré. A tall, pale, hatless man, with something not ignoble in his carriage. His lower lip is trembling, but his brow is firm, and the eye of him has some pride and defiance in it. They yell—the crowd—"Shoot him; shoot him!"—the demon women most clamorous, of course. An arm goes into the air; there are on it the stripes of a non-commissioned officer, and there is a stick in the fist. The stick falls on the head of the pale man in black. Ha! the infuriation has caught; men club their rifles, and bring them down on that head, or slash them into splinters in their lust for murder. He is down; he is up again; he is down again; the thuds of the gun-sticks on him sounding just as the sound when a man beats a cushion with a stick. A certain British impulse, stronger than consideration for self, prompts me to run forward. But it is useless. They are firing into the fiendish carcass now; thronging about it like blowflies on a piece of meat. His brains spurt on my boot and plash into the gutter, whither the carrion is bodily chucked, presently to be trodden on and rolled on by the feet of multitudes and wheels of gun-carriages. Womanhood, then, is not quite dead in the breast of Bedlamites who had clamored "Shoot him." Here is one in hysterics; another, with wan, scared face, draws out of the press an embryo Bedlamite, her offspring, and, let us hope, goes home. But surely all manhood is dead in the soldiery of France to do a deed like this. All at once—one with a yell, thrust and the rest in silence—good by and good luck to poor Communism. Well, I suppose it was natural, and I ought to have felt much a word of execration in the premises; if there is one, and I question whether there is, he might have been pitied if he did not applaud amid general approval.

UNGOVERNED DEAD.

The merry game goes on. Denouncing becomes fashionable, and denouncing is followed in the French natural sequence by brained. Fanged let us get away from the truculent cowards and the bloody gutters, and the yelling women, and the Alastor-eyed omens. Meanwhile the Place Vendome, held, as I learn on credible authority, by twenty-five Communists and a woman against all that Versailles found it in its heart to do, for hours. In the shattered Central Place, Versailliat sentries are stalking about the ruins of the column. They have accumulated, too, some forces in the rat-trap. There is one corpse, in the attitude buffeted and beamingbeds—the corpse, as I learn, of the Communist Captain of a barricade, who held it for half an hour, single-handed, against the braves of France, and then shot himself. The braves have, sensibly, made sure of him by shooting him and the play, which was once a man, over and over again. And in the place is another corpse, that of the Hecate who fought on the Rue de la Paix barricade with such persistence and fury. They might have shot her, yes, when a woman took to war, she forgets her immunities; but they might at least have pulled her scanty rags over the bare limbs that outrage decency, if the word be not an excess in Paris.

SOLDIERS AS JAILERS.

As I ride up the broad slope of the avenue between Versailles and Versailles, I pass a very sorrowful and dejected company. In file after file of six each, march the prisoners of the Commune—there are over 2,000 of them together—patiently, and it seems to me with some consciousness of pride they march, hurled along from Paris. Among them are many women, some of them the fierce barricade Hecates, others mere girls, soft and timid, who are here seemingly because a parent is here too. All are bareheaded and foul with dust, many powder-stained too, and the burning sun beats down on their foreheads. Not the sun alone beats down, but the flashes of sabres wielded by the dashing Chasseurs d'Afrique, who are the escort of these unfortunates. Their experiences might have taught them discretion to the captives. No sabre-blades had descended on their pates in that long, dreary march from Sedan to their German captivity; they were the prisoners of soldiers. But these days are passed now no longer, as they caper on their wiry Arab stallions, and in their pride of cheap victory, they belabor unmercifully the miserables of the Commune. In front are 300 or 400 prisoners, lashed together with ropes, and among these are 100 women. These in the red breeches are taken red-handed. I marvel that they are here at all, and not dead in the streets of Paris.

POLAND.

Russian Tyranny and Jewish Resistance.

From the Pall Mall Gazette, May 23.

According to the *Breslauer Zeitung*—whose authority on such matters we cannot doubt—the Imperial ukase prescribing a change of costume to the Jews of Poland has not met with a ready obedience as was expected. The long coats have, indeed, been easily disposed of; whenever the owners refused to shorten them the Police obligingly took the task of their hands. The cunning Israelites have found out, moreover, as the myrmidons of the law are not as skillful in handling the needle as the shears, the trousers have for the most part remained as short as before. The provision exciting most resistance is that ordering the chin to be shaved; barber's work seems a ticklish matter for policemen to undertake; the Jews have the highest veneration their beards almost as a sacred thing; they would as soon think of cutting their throats as their beards. The Warsaw Police still allows the latter, shunning an application of force as apt to produce disturbances, but in provincial towns a crusade has been opened against them. Some days ago, in Lublin, a Jew was seen by an experiment of an old man about eighty, to have performed spoiled of his beard in the public market-place. The old man's cries speedily attracted numbers of fellow-creatures, anxious to rescue their Nestor. No better opportunity could have been desired. As fast as the men came up with the barber, they seized, shaved, and shaved in rather too hurried and rough a manner to be pleasant. The lamentations of the helpless victims are described as touching. The authorities are, however, mightily pleased with their success, and are said to intend adopting the same method in other towns, until the law imposed by the national Government shall have been every where complied with.

FIGHTING AT LONG RANGE.

How Coburn, Being in New-York, Failed to Come to Time in Kansas City, and How Mace Was Awarded the Stakes.

From the Kansas City (Mo.) Bulletin, June 3.

JEM MACE, the long-expected pugilist, arrived in this city on Thursday night, on the 10 o'clock train from St. Louis. He was accompanied by TOM ALLEN, his trainer; DICK HOLLYWOOD, the referee, and JIM CONNOR. The party got off at the depot, and made their first appearance at the Walnut-street Theatre, creating quite a sensation, when it became known that MACE and his party had arrived. The excitement increased as the news spread, until it was thought advisable for the party to cross the State line into Kansas, and thereby avoid any interference on the part of the Kansas City authorities. Carriages were procured, and the party, accompanied by some of their friends, proceeded to Wyandotte, where rooms were engaged at a hotel.

The Sheriff of Wyandotte County was one of the first persons to make the acquaintance of the noted pugilist, and enjoyed several "smiles" at the honor and appointed to be upon the best of terms with the party. How whether the Sheriff's "smiling" and mature thought had elevated the Sheriff's courage, or whether his sense of duty rose higher as the "ardent" went down lower, we are unable to say, but this is what he did: Turning to one of the party he asked the honor of an introduction to him. The formalities having passed between them, the Sheriff grasped the "puny paw" of the Sheriff in his herculean grasp, and said: "I am glad to know you, Sheriff." "You are my prisoner, Sir." These words were rather a surprise to MACE and his party, but all kept cool. CHARLEY BROWN, WILD demanded the production of the warrant of arrest, to which the Sheriff replied: "I have no warrant."

This was sufficient for the party. They paid no further attention to the arrest, but made no delay in getting into their carriages and driving across the line into Missouri. Soon afterward the Sheriff sent over a request to Marshal Speer to return the party to him, but having no jurisdiction in the matter without a requisition from the Governor, the Marshal very properly disregarded the request.

Before 10 o'clock yesterday morning the city was alive with rumors. One story was that COBURN was at Westport, having arrived in the Scott and Sedalia; others located him at Shawnee, some said one thing, some another, the streets were buzzing with excitement. At 11 o'clock two carriages drove up to the St. Nicholas Hotel, when MACE and his party, including Tom Allen, Dick Hollywood, Jack Goulding, Jim Custck, Billy Carroll, Bill Lonergan and others started out of the city toward Shawnee. A piece of ground was selected about three miles from the city between the Gillian farm and the Westport road; here the ring was made and the fight declared. MACE stepped into the ring and squared the appearance of COBURN, who failing to make his appearance, the matter was referred to DICK HOLLYWOOD, the referee, who declared MACE entitled to the stakes.

The party then returned to the city, and thus terminated the long-expected, much-talked-about prize-fight, without a drop of blood being spilled or a disturbance of any kind.

THE CONDITION OF THE CROPS.

Discouraging Report from Northern Alabama.

From the Montgomery (Ala.) Advertiser, June 3.

Never before in the history of Alabama have we had such discouraging accounts of the crop prospects as now flow in upon us from every side. During a late trip through Cherokee, Autauga, Elmore, Baker, Shelby, Talladega, Calhoun, De Kalb, Etowah, St. Clair and Jefferson Counties we had an opportunity to see for ourselves the condition of the crops, and to learn from a personal inspection the slenderness of the thread on which hang the hopes of the farming interests of Alabama for the present year. The wheat crop—always light in this State—is the best of the lot. Corn comes next in order; but even that crop is very unpromising. The most that we saw was less than six inches high, and but few fields could boast even exceptional spots in which the plant measured more that eighteen inches in height.

Cotton is almost a total failure. In three out of every five fields we passed through, it was hard to say which had been planted, grass or cotton; and fully one-half of the crop in the counties above referred to is yet untouched by the hoe. We saw more cotton in Autauga and Elmore that had been chopped out than in all the other counties put together. As a rule, the plant looks rust-eaten, hard and unpromising. Very little of it has more than two or three leaves to the stalk, and in many fields these are dying off.

And still the rains continue to fall. In the north-eastern portion of Jefferson County the heaviest rain of the season fell last Monday night. The creeks were raised by it to a height greater by four feet than was ever known before. Wednesday night a small flood fell in the centre of the county. It is hardly an exaggeration to say that, averaging all the days together, there have not been three successive days of dry weather in Jefferson County during the last two months. The farmers have almost lost both heart and hope; and unless the sun comes out and the rains stop, one good crop will be lost to Montgomery at one trip of the Boston train. Will we see again in the County of Jefferson this year? The seasons change, however, a half dozen times in a day, and a crop may be made; but the prospect is very dark. Corn and the dry seasons continue some time, it would be effective of good.

How it may be elsewhere we have no means of knowing definitely, but in north Alabama it will be but little less than a miracle if half as much cotton is made this year as was gathered last. If the same rule holds in south Alabama, those who spin cotton next Fall will pay at least twenty-five cents for it.

PERSONAL, POLITICAL, AND GENERAL.

Middle Georgia promises many peaches this year, but of inferior quality.

A young lady in New-Haven, Conn., boasts of receiving twenty-two letters by one mail, a few days ago. Perhaps she advertised for board.

The Boston *Transcript* notes the coincidence that the Custom-houses in Boston and New-York were both struck by lightning on Sunday.

Connecticut papers complain of the drouth as almost unprecedented at this season of the year.

The Massachusetts State Alliance is arranging for large temperance meetings to be held in different towns on the Fourth of July.

The subscriptions for the further endowment of Hobart College, at Geneva, are nearly made up. Citizens of Geneva have given $10,000.

The Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio belongs to the family of "Fighting McCOOK," but not since the Mexican war has he done any fighting.

A Boston verdant young man has made himself the town talk by calling in an eating-saloon for strawberry sandwiches.—It is easy to get talked about in Boston.

The editor of the Morrisburg (Canada) *Courier* must be a very popular man in that burg. His friends have made up a purse and sent him off on a visit to Europe for the benefit of his health.

Gen. J. B. GORDON, of Georgia, has found it necessary to publish a card explaining that he never said he had nothing but "praise and veneration for the brave men who subdued the South."

A Hudson boy who went in swimming near the railroad track, and on coming out found that his clothes had been retained, and carried away by a passing locomotive, refused to accept the situation.

The University of Maryland has conferred the degree of LL. D. upon Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON, who, on Saturday, delivered the annual address before the graduating members of the law department of the University.

A Delaware clergyman has advertised for his satchel, which, he says, was taken by some gentleman by mistake from a railroad car, and contained nothing of value except some ten or fifteen of his least bad sermons and a book of "skeletons."

On the eve of the meeting of the Ohio Democratic Convention, the Mobile *Register* expressed itself thus: "We reckon that the timid policy course will prevail, yet it is refreshing and useful to see true men bravely breasting what is improperly called a 'departure.'"

A colored man has brought suit against a New-Orleans dealer because he refused to sell him a glass of soda-water. He claims damages, under the State Constitution, on the ground that the defendant is the proprietor of a place of public resort for which a license is required, and refused him on account of his color.

The rice planters of Louisiana have not attempted to extend the culture as much this year as in previous recent seasons. The New-Orleans *Picayune* says, in fact, that the planting this season was not larger than last year, and that it will be idle to look for a crop of over 80,000 barrels, or 16,000,000 pounds.

The Psi Upsilon fraternity will hold its fifty-eighth annual Convention with the chapter at Brown University, Providence, on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Hon. SAMUEL G. ARNOLD will preside; Rev. CHARLES H. MALCOLM, of Newport, will deliver the oration, and the poem will be read by HENRY ARMITT BROWN, of Philadelphia, a graduate of Yale.

Speaking of the Ohio Democratic candidate's speech accepting the nomination, the Columbus *State Journal* says: "McCOOK wallowed in hogry, musky feebleness about the amendments, jumping from one to another in distressed uncertainty, as if they were humpmocks and he did not know whether they would bear or not."

California papers say that a strong tide of emigration has set toward Oregon, a great majority of the emigrants being respectable and comfortable farmers from the Western States, who have sold their old homesteads on favorable terms, and are attracted to Oregon by reports of cheap lands, productive soil and abundant crops. From 500 to 700 emigrants leave San Francisco by each steamer for Oregon.

A Cleveland paper contains a pathetic account of the drowning of three young men, a few days ago, in which we read that "it was about noon when they went down, but it was near dark before any of them were found, and then, too, those of WILLIAM and JOHN were brought up on a fish-hook; and, although the lake was dragged all night and next day, and most of the time up to the present, no trace of the body of JAMES has been found, but friends are still at work, and cannot give up till his mortal part is found and affection pays the last tribute of respect."

Gen. KRZYZANOWSKI, Supervisor of Internal Revenue for Georgia, Alabama and Florida, was arrested in Augusta, on Friday, on a possessory warrant issued by Justice VERDERY, at the instance of a business firm whose books had been seized, as they claim, without legal authority. A motion of defendant's counsel to remove the case to the United States Court at Savannah was overruled by Justice VERDERY, on the ground that it did not come within the jurisdiction of that Court, and the defendant's counsel then gave notice of a *certiorari*, by which the case goes up to the Superior Court. The books of the firm, in the mean time, remain in the custody of the arresting constable.

The card published by SALMON and SARAH BROWN, in San Francisco, says that they have been startled and deeply chagrined by a report, started without their knowledge, that JOHN BROWN's family are in a suffering and destitute condition, and that they think it due to themselves to say that his family, or that portion which is in California, are all well and doing well, and wish to maintain decent self-respect and to merit the reputation of having ordinary sagacity, if possible. They also say that the people of Massachusetts have been misinformed, and raised and sent $250 to their mother; but they took measures about two weeks ago, to have such an unnecessary collection stopped.

The erection of the monument to Hon. LEWIS CASS, in Elmwood Cemetery, Detroit, Mich., was completed on Saturday. The *Free Press*, of that city, says: "It is a granite column, twelve feet high, nine feet seven inches at the base, and four feet three inches at the apex. It is composed of ten courses, the lower being of Quincy granite, and the remaining nine of Concord granite. On one side is the name, LEWIS CASS, in simple Roman letters, and on the reverse is the Michigan coat-of-arms. On the remaining two sides are an oak and IVY wreath, very elaborate in workmanship, and the names, dates of birth and death of the General and his wife. The top is a granite sarcophagus resting on two piers of the same material, with an intervening space of four inches between it and the course immediately beneath. Its cost was $10,000, and its weight forty-six tons. The foundation is stone-masonry, ten feet deep, in the centre of which are walled the remains of both the General and Mrs. CASS."

More Favorable Accounts from California.

From the San Francisco Bulletin, May 30.

The cool, cloudy weather of the past few days has been favorable to the crops. From the north, especially the Sonoma and Napa Valleys and Russian River Valley, the reports are most encouraging. In some parts of Solano County there will be a fair yield of hay and grain, while in others the prospects are less encouraging. South of the Carquinez Straits the drouth is much more serious. At and about Martinez the grain crop will be of little account, while the grass is light. South-eastward, toward Pacheco, it is still worse; while beyond, in the direction of Antioch, vegetation is nearly destroyed. A gentleman just returned from the San Joaquin River represents the prospects as most gloomy. The season has been an entire failure, the immense plains having already the appearance of a brown desert. The herds in many places have been driven off to the mountains; many of the smaller farmers have temporarily abandoned their homes, and gone off in search of work. The greater number will return in the Fall, while others—especially squatters and preëmptors on railroad lands—for lack of means to complete their titles, have left for good. The drift of emigration is mainly northward, toward Napa, Sonoma, Lake and Mendocino Counties, and eastward to the higher Sierra. Our inform

January, 1870. On examination before the Referee the plaintiff was discharged, and now sues the defendant. The defendant set up that he was induced by his lawyer to take the proceedings out of which this action has arisen. The jury found in favor of the defendant.

R. J. Fissell for plaintiff; Charles S. Spencer for defendant.

A FALL INTO AN AREA.

Brennan vs. Osborne.—In this case, which was to recover damages for injuries sustained by falling into an unprotected area, the particulars of which have already appeared in the TIMES, the jury rendered a verdict in favor of plaintiff for $15.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—JUNE 6.

Before Judge Alker.

OPERA IN THE COURTS.

Grau vs. Brignoli.—The plaintiff in this action, the well-known opera manager, brought suit against defendant, the equally well-known opera singer, to recover $112 45 for services rendered last May in Chicago, as manager of the Chicago Opera-house. The defense was, that Brignoli was to pay over to plaintiff whatever remained after $100 a week, and that the last week there was nothing over that amount.

Judge ALKER held that defendant was responsible to plaintiff, irrespective of the question of right to receive $100 a week, and accordingly rendered judgment in favor of plaintiff for the full amount claimed.

DECISIONS.

COURT OF APPEALS.

The following decisions were rendered in the Court of Appeals today:

Judgments affirmed with costs—Abbot et al. vs. Blevoiliet al.; Scoville vs. Maury; Pomeroy et al. vs. Stout; Cocklin et al. vs. Bennett; Ward et al. vs. The National Bank of Oswego; Warring et al. vs. The Indemnity Fire Insurance Company; Anderson et al. vs. Brower; Adams et al. vs. The National City Bank of New-York.

Judgment affirmed with costs, and Clerk allowed to proceed with the remittitur certificate filed herewith—Sleeper, by Dike, his guardian ad litem, vs. The Erie Railway Company.

Order affirmed without costs of this appeal to either party—Erie Railway Company vs. Ramsey.

Judgment reversed and new trial granted, without costs to abide event—Gorton vs. The Erie Railway Company; Baldwin vs. The United States Telegraph Company.

Appeal dismissed without costs—Abbot vs. The Metropolitan Insurance Company.

Motion to dismiss; appeal denied without costs; and the order of the Supreme Court directed to return papers used upon motion to substitute—Gertrude A. Hackett, executor, &c., as plaintiff, as per draft. Order filed—Richard Hackett and Gertrude Hackett, executor, &c., vs. Baldwin.

Judgment modified and plaintiffs declared entitled to a mortgage lien on the premises, for the amount due thereon, after deducting rent, the interest of C. D. Miller therein, and the interest on said amount, and as thus modified the judgment is affirmed without costs in this Court to either party as against the other—Moore vs. Hendrickson.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—JUNE 6.

By Judge Barnard.

Klein vs. Klein; Cooper vs. Van Tassel; Vouchies vs. Geiger; motions denied.

Foster vs. Wedersteen; in the matter of the application of the Brevoort Insurance Company; Grace vs. Cornell; Ferry vs. Sea-side Tunnel; Stoley; The Mutual Life Insurance Company vs. Jacob Carpenter; Eprese vs. Rogers; Read vs. Niles; Jones vs. Lectrain; Rice et. Mead et al.; Gallagher et al. Hanford et al.; Lachmayer vs. Lamoyer; Hall vs. Hall; motions granted.

Voorhees vs. National Citizens' Bank; memoranda for counsel.

Dewey vs. Depew; reference ordered.

Jessup vs. Herfield et al.; reference ordered.

Allerton vs. Willmot; reference ordered.

Bartlett vs. Chase; reference ordered.

Gassenegh vs. Bernsen; motion denied, costs to abide event.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—JUNE 5.

By Judge Brady.

Twat vs. Wedersteen; order applied for amended and granted.

Bennett vs. The Sullivan and Erie Railroad Company; allowance of fees granted.

Jewett vs. Black; order settled and direction to enter made.

Abrams vs. Hart; order for allowance settled.

Orr vs. The Mayor; motion for allowance granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—JUNE 6.

By Judge Larremore.

Bach vs. Baumfeldt; motion to vacate order of arrest denied; bail reduced to $500.

Olwell vs. Gallagher; order granted.

Schleisten vs. Soprini; motion granted.

Wolff vs. Mycelberg; order for judgment granted.

Meyer vs. Klobisch; judgment ordered.

Hamburger vs. Barnum; order granted for judgment and writ of inquiry.

Thorn vs. Jacques; reference ordered.

Weyrae vs. Vergez; reference ordered.

By Judge Joseph F. Daly.

Haviland vs. Wohle; order settled.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, June 6.—The following is the Court of Appeals day calendar for June 7: Nos. 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Ingraham, Barnard and Gardner, JJ. Entitled of Non-stipulated Calendar, Preferred Causes and Reserved Motions.

Nos. 200—Hathaway vs. Wetmore. 201—Cygnet vs. McAlenny. 202—Wiener vs. Roberts. 203—Patterson vs. Baker. 204—Samp vs. Sasak.

Nos. 112—Patterson vs. Roberts. 113—Winters vs. Baker. 115—Sharp vs. Sarre. 116—Brands vs. Roberts. 114—Wood vs. Belden.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Part I.—Held by Brady, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos. 206—(R. C.) Rice vs. Whitmeadow. 207—Hoyt vs. Sprague. 208—Bussy vs. Maxwell, Jr. 209—Barker vs. Benedict. 210—A. Nat. Bank vs. Wagner. 211—Gerdes vs. Livingly. 212—Eaton vs. Baxter. 213—Smith vs. Wyott. 214—(R. C.) Punnt vs. Pinkell. 215—St. Jurgo vs. Van Tassel.

Nos. 216—Tillman vs. Brunner. 217—Mechanics' Bank vs. Nat. Spring Co. 218—(S. C.) Trenton Iron Co. vs. Langston Rolling Co. 219—Gerding vs. Kobbe. 220—(R. C.) Whelan vs. Lynch. 221—Morris vs. Whelan. 222—Higgins vs. Hyde. 223—Drake vs. Koch. 224—Isaacs vs. Florida R. R. Co. 225—Fiske vs. West.

Part II.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Nos. 226—(R. C.)—Lawrence vs. Maxwell. 227—Gunther vs. Dalmyski. 228—Cazenova vs. De Peyster. 229—Wilde, ex'r, &c., vs. Sexton. 230—McMillen vs. Kunz. 231—Cooke et al. vs. The Seventh Ward Nat. Bank. 232—Oddie et al. vs. Goodwin et al. 233—Bailey, receiver, &c., vs. Mathews. 234—(R. C.)—Stewart vs. Thomas, Fire Ins. Co. of Brooklyn. 235—Hoffman vs. Wagner et. al.

Nos. 236—(R. C.)—Rockwell vs. Third-av. R. R. Co. 237—Tyng vs. Commercial Warehouse Co. of N. Y. 238—Joy vs. Vandyke. 239—(R. C.)—Geltz et al. vs. Guentell. 240—Smith et al. vs. Clarke. 241—Gans vs. N. H. Steam-boat Co. 242—Central City Ins. Co. vs. The Fla. R. R. Co. 243—Viele vs. Viele. 244—Wiel vs. Deloe. 245—Willow vs. Brewster.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Sutherland, J.

Case on.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Part I.—Held by Barnard, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos. 246—Hyatt vs. Hyatt. 247—Keene vs. Keene. 248—The People ex rel. Lenahan vs. Controller. 249—Butterworth vs. Vedkoding. 250—The Lippitt Silver Plate and Eng. Co. vs. Bacon. 251—Brook vs. The Phoenix Universalist So. of Brooklyn.

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Part II.—Held by Cardozo, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos. 259—Simmons vs. Jones. 260—Bean vs. Benedict.

Nos. 261—Continental National Bank vs. Randall.

Part III.—Held by Ingraham, J.—Calendar called at 10½ A. M.

Nos. 262—Cagney vs. Douglas. 263—Same vs. Same. 264—Merchants' National Bank vs. Gelendin. 265—Same vs. Same. 266—Clodin vs. Friedlander. 267—Lee vs. Friedlander.

Nos. 268—Kohlmeid vs. Friedlander. 269—Cochran vs. Friedlander. 270—Sutter vs. Friedlander.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Spencer, J.

Nos. 208—Rice vs. Stevens. 209—O'Brien vs. The Mech. & Traders' Fire Ins. Co. 210—The Phenix Bank vs. Goodman et al. 211—Self vs. Moore et al. 212—Phillips vs. Weeks.

Nos. 213—Stuart vs. Sullinger. 214—Rothbaldo vs. Mortlock. 215—Myers vs. Butler. 216—Hillman vs. Matthews. 217—Pelham vs. Great Western Ins. Co.

Part II.—Held by Barbour, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos. 218—Lombardo vs. Parker et al. 219—Murphy vs. International Ins. Co. 220—Young vs. Pacific Mutual Ins. Co. 221—O'Brien vs. Mechanics' Ins. Co. 222—O'Brien vs. Merchants' Fire Ins. Co. 223—O'Brien vs. Commonwealth Ins. Co.

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FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

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FIRST BOARD.

$4,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67 ... 114½ | 100 Cons. Coal of Md. ... 32
5,000 do. ... 114½ | 1100 do. ... 32¼
2,000 Cent. Pac. 6s, c. ... 71¾ | 200 do. ... 32¼
10,000 S. C. 6s, 6s, New ... 71¾ | 200 do. ... 32¼
Jan. & July ... 62¾ | 200 do. ... bot. cash. 32¼
20,000 do. ... bot. cash. 62¾ | 25 do. ... 30
7,000 Mo. 6s, c. ... 92¾ | 200 West. Un. Tel. ... 80
6,000 N. Y. 6s, 75, 10% ... 78 | 200 do. ... bot. cash. 80
2,000 Ga. 6s, 78, G. Sa. ... 94 | 100 do. ... 80
1,000 N. Y. C. 6s, '83 ... 95½ | 200 do. ... 80
1,000 N. H. 6s, '87, R. ... 100 | 100 do. ... 80
1,000 Cent. Pac. G. bds. 105¾ | 100 do. ... 80
1,000 U. P. 6s, L. G. B. ... 87 | 300 Quicks. Mining Co. 13
10,000 U. Pac. 1st, G. ... 91½ | 100 Pac. Mail S. S. Co. 23¾
10,000 U. L. 6s, 7 W. 24 ... 97 | 100 do. ... bot. cash. 23¾
1,000 Tol. & Wab. 6s, 1st ... 80 | 100 Am. Mer. Un. Ex. 56¾
St. Louis div. ... 82¾ | 100 Adams Express ... 61¾
4,000 Ot. Wes. 1st, '91 ... 93¾ | 100 do. ... 61¾
1,000 Ot. West. 2d ... 70 | 100 do. ... bot. cash. 61
1,000 Ill. Cent. 7s, sterling ... 101 | 100 United States Ex. 54
1,000 do. ... 101 | 100 do. ... 53¾
10,000 C. C. & I. C. 7s, '79 ... 93 | 100 do. ... bot. cash. 53¾
5,000 N. J. Cent. 7s, 1st, '87 ... 105 | 200 N. Y. C. & H. R. R. ... 98¾
1,000 Tol., P. & W. 2d, '77 ... 78 | 100 do. ... 98¾
3,000 do. ... 78 | 10000 N. Y. C. & H. Cth. ... 98¾
2,000 St. L. & I. M. 1st ... 86 | 200 do. ... 98¾
2,000 Erie Railway 1st ... 87 | 100 Erie Railway ... 24¾
20 B'k of Commerce ... 121 | 100 Le. Sh. & M. Sc. 1st ... 115¾
54 Ocean Bank ... 30 | 700 do. ... bot. cash. 115¾
10 Hanover Bank ... 108 | 100 Clev. & Pitts. 3d ... 118¾
100 Com. Nat. Bank ... 100 | 100 Chi. & N. W. ... 84¾
18 Am. Ex. Bank ... 118¾ | 700 do. ... bot. cash. 84¾
50 Del. & Hud. Canal ... 125 | 100 Chi. & N. W. Pf. ... 89¾
15 do. ... 124¾ | 300 New Jersey Cent. ... 31¾
1 Maryland Coal Co. ... 37¾ | 100 Chi. & Alton R. R. ... 135
200 do. ... 37¾ | 200 Del., Lack. & W. ... 103¾
100 Allentown Coal ... 40 | 100 Hun. & St. Joseph ... 32¾
600 do. ... 40 | 400 Harl. & St. Jos. Pf. ... 35¾
400 Spring M'f'g Co. ... 71 | 100 do. ... 35¾
25 Cal. & Stock I. ... 34 | 200 do. ... 35¾
100 do. ... bot. cash. 124¾ | 400 Union Pacific ... 32¾
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SECOND BOARD.

$20,000 U. S. 6s, '81, C. ... 117¾ | 100 Wells-Far. Ex. Sc. ... 2¾
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67 ... 114¾ | 400 U. S. Express ... 54
20,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67 ... 114¾ | 200 do. ... 53¾
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '68 ... 112¾ | 100 N. Y. C. & H. R. R. ... 98¾
1,000 do. ... 112¾ | 700 do. ... 98¾
10,000 U. S. 6s, 10-40 C. ... 110 | 10000 N. Y. Cent. & Hud. Cth. ... bot. cash. 98
5,000 Tenn. 6s, old ... 71¾ | 11 Erie Railway Pf. ... 54
1,000 do. ... 71¾ | 200 do. ... 54
1,000 Tenn. 6s, new ... 71¾ | 100 Reading ... b. c. 117¾
10,000 Va. 6s, old ... 60 | 200 do. ... 117¾
15,000 do. ... 60 | 100 do. ... 117¾
14,000 Va. 6s, Reg. old ... 58¾ | 1000 do. ... 117¾
9,000 S. C. 6s, 7 per ct. new ... 71 | 100 Pacific Mail Rail. ... 11
Jan. & July ... 64 | 200 L. S. & M. Sc. b. c. 116
10,000 do. ... 63¾ | 200 do. ... 116
10,000 do. ... 63¾ | 600 Clev., & Pitts. ... 118
5,000 U. Pac. 1st G. ... 91¾ | 100 C., C., Cin. & Ind. ... 99¾
10,000 U. Pac. L. G. B. ... 87 | 100 N. J. Central ... 111¾
20,000 do. ... 87¾ | 49 Chic. & Rock Is. ... 124¾
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

M. THIERS urged upon the Committee of the Assembly that the ORLEANS Princes should not be permitted to hold office before two years, and that if they engaged in any intrigue to reach the throne, they should be expelled from France. These conditions, however, he no longer insists on. Ex-Imperial officials, it is said, will be candidates to fill the vacancies in the Assembly. The bill to re-erect the Column of Vendome has been withdrawn. M. GUIZOT advocates the admission of the ORLEANS Princes to seats in the Assembly, and a vote of the nation on the form of government. The appointments of M. LAMBRECHT, Minister of the Interior; M. LEFRANC, Minister of Agriculture; Gen. CISEY, Minister of War; LEON SAY, Prefect of the Seine, and Gen. LEFLO, Ambassador to St. Petersburg, were officially announced yesterday. Postal service is restored in Paris. Twenty thousand Communist prisoners will be transported to New-Caledonia. The trials at Versailles are postponed in consequence of the discovery of documents which make new indictments necessary. SCHEWACHEN, the murderer of Gens. LECOMTE and CLEMENT—THOMAS has been arrested. A solemn high mass was celebrated in Rome yesterday in honor of the priests killed by the Communists. Commercial relations between France and Germany are now on the same footing as before the war....The Roumanian Chambers were opened yesterday by Prince CHARLES, who was enthusiastically received.... The House of Lords has passed the bill authorizing Canada to organize Territorial Governments in the North-west.

GENERAL.

Advices from Hong Kong, China, to May 26, represent that a coolie ship, bound from Macao to Callao, was recently burned at sea, and that 500 of the coolies perished in the flames.

A fire, described as terrible, destroyed a large number of buildings on the 1st inst., in Gonaives, Hayti. A heavy crop of coffee is anticipated. Business is dull in San Domingo, but the crops are promising.

Quiet reigns at Panama. Guatemala continues in a disturbed state, and San Salvador is still unsettled. Peace prevails in Peru and prosperity is increasing. The Bolivian Ministry is unpopular, and the Indians of that country are warlike and defiant, and have seized several hacendas. The British Consul at Maracaibo has returned to his post, the British Minister at Caracas having refused to send gun-boats to release an Englishman held by the Venezuelan authorities, and whom they threaten to execute.

The elections in Mexico are to be held June 25. The town of Tampico has not yet surrendered. Minister ROMERO, although he is said to have triumphed over his tradducers, will resign soon. Gen. ESCOBEDO is ill of disease of the lungs.

A terrific storm has prevailed on the Texas coast, near Galveston, since Saturday, the south-east wind sending in the sea until the lower part of the city was submerged two feet. Railroads and many buildings in the city were washed away. The steamer *Alabama*, with a cargo of cattle, went ashore on Sunday, west of Galveston, and will be a total wreck. The bark *Virginia Dare* went down six miles east of Galveston, and the crew of fourteen were taken from the mast on Monday, to which they had been lashed since Sunday. The storm extended to Houston, and heavy rain has fallen throughout the interior.

The New-Hampshire Legislature assembles today. The principal business of the Legislature will be the electing a Governor, as the people did not succeed in doing so. The Democrats already claim a majority of ten, in which event JAMES A. WESTON will be declared elected, though the Republicans are sanguine that their candidate, JAMES HUGS, will be successful. The Labor Reform Party seem to hold the balance of power, and whichever way their votes go will decide the question, despite the fact that the majority of the voting population is decidedly Republican.

The colored men's strike in Washington yesterday assumed a new phase. A number of Irish laborers went to work at the low rate of wages, ($1 per day,) and the colored men threatened to drive them off. The intervention of the Police alone averted a collision. The negroes call it a day.

JIM FISK'S suit against the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad Company was taken off the Circuit Court calendar on Monday, and is probably at an end. This result has been brought about by the recent decision of the General Term in Fisk's other suits with the same Company.

The Indian Chiefs were warmly received at Faneuil Hall, Boston, last night. Gov. CLARKIN and Mayor GASTON made addresses, and the big Chief LITTLE RAVEN and BUFFALO GOAD responded in their usual manner.

An extensive fire occured in Philadelphia on Monday night. Several large manufacturing establishments were destroyed or seriously damaged, and the aggregate loss is estimated at $110,000.

IRA DEVALL, Missouri State Superintendent of Public Schools, has resigned on account of bad health. He was for more than twenty years Superintendent of the Public Schools in St. Louis.

Rev. ROBERT C. CATHER, of England, has had a conference with a number of prominent churchmen of St. Louis, with a view to inducing the leading men of various evangelical denominations to become members of the International Council of the Christian Moral Science Association, as established in Great Britain.

The exiles of Erin, LEARY and BURKE, received an ovation at San Francisco on Monday night. They were escorted to their hotel by an immense civic and military torchlight procession, and addressed from 15,000 to 20,000 people.

Thirty thousand Sunday-school children appeared in procession yesterday in Brooklyn. The display was an interesting one, and the little ones seemed to enjoy the festivities very much.

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Communists in New-York.

It has been said that the barbarians who threaten modern civilization are within its boundaries, not outside. It is no longer the savages from some distant and half-mythical Scythia, or the warlike barbarians of Scandinavia, who threaten the Empires and States of modern times. The dangerous enemies of every modern State are in her large cities. Few, who are not conversant with "the dangerous classes," can have a conception what a thin crust, in all countries, separates the elegant and comfortable world from the barbaric and savage forces, working among dense masses of ignorant human beings.

Public writers and preachers are inclined to look at this social explosion in Paris as something abnormal and horrible, and peculiar to France alone. It has indeed its peculiarly French horrors, but the dangerous and seething materials which gave it its power are to be found in every large capital. In London, today, there is an immense multitude of human beings, ignorant, degraded, struggling eternally only to keep themselves above the black waves of misery about them, burrowing in all kinds of wretched dens and holes, full of envy toward the rich, easy to be inflamed by socialist agitators against the classes who for ages have had all the blessings of life, while to them were left its curses—a dark, boiling, explosive mass of population, which would only need an opportunity, such as the siege gave the Paris *proletaires*, to burst out with terrific violence against property, Government, and the Church itself. A similar, though less numerous class, exists in every capital of Europe.

Are we in the New World free from it? Let any of our readers make a tour through the cellars and slums of a single Ward in this City—say the Fourth—or let him pass among the crowded tenement-houses of the Twelfth or Seventeenth Wards, and note the thousands of wretched creatures who hide in attics and cellars, poor, slovenly and hard-pressed; the thousands who are more or less involved in criminal occupations; the tens of thousands who labor year after year, and never grasp one of the rich rewards of toil which hang in gilded display all around them. Let him talk with these people, and find how many believe that the poor and the laborers have never had a fair chance in the world, while capital has reaped all the blessings of existence; and then recall what a vast multitude of persons there are in this City who either have no home at all, or who "camp" here and there for a few nights, or who depend on each day's earnings for the day's bread—and he will be convinced that New-York, like Paris, has beneath its brilliant and busy surface a volcano of deep passions and explosive social forces.

Once only in the history of the City did this terrible *proletaire* class show its revolutionary head. For a few days in 1863, New-York seemed like Paris under the Reds in 1870. Our mob, in place of sacking churches, burned orphan asylums, and plundered the houses of the benefactors of the white poor and the colored race. The cruelties inflicted by our "Reds" on the unhappy negroes quite equaled in atrocity anything that the French Reds perpetrated on their priests. Our "Communists" had already begun to move toward the houses of the rich, and the cry of war to property was already heard, when the spirited assistance of the United States soldiery enabled the better classes to put down the disturbance. But had the rioters been able to hold their own a week longer, had they plundered the banks, and begun to enjoy the luxuries of the rich, and been permitted to arm and organize themselves, we should have seen a communistic explosion in New-York which would probably have left this City in ashes and blood. Every great city has within it the communistic elements of a revolution.

Our cities are in less danger than European cities, because there is no pressure on this *proletaire* class beyond the necessary inequalities of life. The American "*ouvrier*" always hopes to be capitalist. Then our educational and reformatory movements are always reaching down, and gradually improving "the dangerous classes." The public school is the best preventive of revolution. The industrial school and the children's charities are transforming the youthful Communists into industrious, law-abiding, property-earning citizens. All the influences of American life are continually tending to give the *proletaire* a permanent interest in the social order. These have only to be cherished and extended to gradually carry away the explosive forces beneath the surface of society, and make New-York like our villages in one respect—that every citizen may have a pride and interest in the prosperity and its property.

The Disputed Baronetcy.

The famous Tichborne case is still in progress in the Westminster Court of Common Pleas, and still excites the greatest interest among all classes of society. Our former observation touching the extreme difficulty of forming a positive opinion of the merits of the case, is confirmed by the abundant and highly interesting evidence for the plaintiff that has now been delivered. That evidence was preceded by some extraordinary statements of an opposing character, a number of which were hinted at by the Bench, and afterward repeated in open Court by counsel for the defense. It was declared, for example, that credible witnesses were forthcoming who would positively swear that the plaintiff, the reputed Sir ROGER TICHBORNE, had been known to them for years as a butcher. This promised testimony appeared so formidable that many have felt it was destined to be conclusive, and that the posthumous son of ALFRED TICHBORNE, and not the putative Sir ROGER, must be acknowledged the rightful possessor of the ancient baronetcy, with its splendid rent-roll, equal to $150,000 a year in gold.

It may be that this supposition will be fully sustained. One side is good, of course, until the other is heard. But, in the meanwhile, it cannot be denied that the plaintiff's case looks amazingly strong, and that the theory of wholesale subornation seems out of the question. When we were told that French, the language of the true Sir ROGER'S boyhood, could not be spoken by this Sir ROGER at all; that the former Sir ROGER was short and slight, while the present Sir ROGER is big and tall; that the "dark man," BOGLE, had extraordinary reasons and extraordinary means for consummating a successful conspiracy; and that such witnesses as respected and widely known clergymen, acquainted with Sir ROGER in his youth, swear that they do not believe the claimant to be Sir ROGER—it was hard to believe that the plaintiff's case could be made to hold water, or that there was a chance for any but a single and obvious termination of the suit. But what are we to say to the recent evidence, especially that heard on the 22d and 23d of May? The reader will remember the long, unequivocal affidavit of Lady TICHBORNE, the main points of which we published May 28. That lady affirmed and reaffirmed in the most absolute terms her positive belief that the claimant, said by his opponents to be a butcher, is her son, Sir ROGER TICHBORNE. On the heels of this now appear a great number of persons with corroborative statements. GEORGE ALLEN, formerly butler in the TICHBORNE family, swears that he has no doubt of the claimant's identity with the veritable Sir ROGER. He cites many details that establish this conviction in his mind such as the plaintiff's hair, eyes, gait, speech, and manners. This evidence is made peculiarly significant by the fact that there was said to be a "kind of likeness between ALLEN and Sir ROGER," which the latter dwelt upon, and seems often to have discussed. THOMAS CARTER, the body servant of Sir ROGER in 1852, is no less positive. He has "no more doubt that the claimant is the ROGER TICHBORNE of 1852 than he has that he, CARTER, is himself." Other people in or connected with the regiment to which Sir ROGER belonged—the Carbineers, or Sixth Dragoon Guards—likewise recollect and identify him. These persons include officers and privates, tailors, handsmen and servants. Thus, JOHN LESSWARE was trumpet-major to the regiment when TICHBORNE joined it at Portobello Barracks, Dublin. This witness, on being confronted with the claimant, "recognized him by his heavy eyebrows, and the twitching when he spoke, and also by the sound his voice." It appears that LESSWARE had a long talk with the claimant, extending to three or four hours, and that reminiscences of what passed in the regiment were chiefly the subjects of discussion. On all these subjects the claimant's remarks were accurate and confirmatory of his identity. Mrs. LESSWARE, the wife of this witness, attests to the same thing, and is "perfectly satisfied that the plaintiff is Mr. TICHBORNE." The coachman of Sir EDWARD DOUGHTY, the uncle of Sir ROGER, gives similar evidence. This man, THOMAS BUSTON, lived in the family seven years, and saw young TICHBORNE often. He, too, dwells on the twitching, the eyes, and other peculiarities. To the question, after a long statement, "What is now your deliberate judgment?" BUSTON replied: "I believe, on my oath, that he is Sir ROGER TICHBORNE." A fisherman, named WILLIAM GOULD, who seems to have once been an humble playmate of ROGER, likewise gives unmistakable evidence. ROGER was fond of boating, fishing and shooting, and GOULD swears that he "used to go about with him most days." GOULD adds: "He was very partial to me, and we were great friends." Now, in describing what passed between them on first meeting after the claimant's return, GOULD testifies:

"I recognized him at once and he recognized me at once. I could swear to him anywhere. His appearance and his voice made me recognize him. Any one who knew Sir E. DOUGHTY would recognize the plaintiff. No one pointed him out to me. I saw him again in the evening, and we had a conversation together. After I left him I went home and cut out four models of boats. I put them on the table before Mr. ROGER, Mr. HOLMES and Mr. TICHBORNE, in the London Tavern Hotel, Poole. I asked him if he could remember the model of the boat he bought for himself at Poole, and he said he thought he could. (The witness here produced four small wooden models of boats, which he said were copies on a smaller scale of those he showed to the plaintiff.) I threw the models down upon the table, and the plaintiff picked up the right one. It was the model of a foreign-built boat. I talked to him about other things, and in regard to all he was right. I asked him what he gave for the boat, and he replied £5. That was right. Something was said about a truss of hay. This conversation occurred in 1867. He asked me if I could mind when he brought the truss of hay and put it on the boat's bottom and set fire to it to dry the boat. That was quite true. We wanted to have it dried for tarring. I did not mention a word about the matter to him until he told me."

At this point GOULD was thus addressed by counsel: "Now, have you any doubt about his being ROGER TICHBORNE?" "If he is not Sir ROGER TICHBORNE," he replied, "he is the very old devil himself." To which observed the Solicitor-General, "I don't dispute that—which is he?" GOULD promptly answered, "Sir ROGER TICHBORNE." The wife of this witness, MARIA GOULD, confirmed her husband's assertions, as did also MARTHA LEGG, who was for some time TICHBORNE'S laundress. There are few trials on record in which the evidence on both sides, while equally positive, and, to all appearance, probable, is in such point blank opposition. It is not to be wondered at that the Tichborne case creates much excitement, and that the result is looked for with unusual eagerness.

Penalties for Drunkenness.

The plea put forth in FOSTER'S name is now asserted by himself and his counsel to have been written by a reporter—one of Mayor HALL'S model "journalists"—and published without their knowledge or consent, and indeed against their express wishes. If was taking a dastardly advantage of a man in FOSTER'S situation to give this additional prejudice to an already desperate case, for the sake of a paltry newspaper sensation—but Mayor HALL'S journalists are not particular to a shade. What we said, however, in reference to the appeal, under the supposition that it was genuine, holds equally good now that it is shown to be the work of the Mayor's hacks. And, however censurable the appeal may have been in its design and execution, it has at least been productive of this much good, that it has drawn forth an almost unanimous expression of public opinion on the crime of drunkenness. How rapidly that vice is increasing in our City, and with what fatal results, no reader of the daily papers needs to be told. With a large part of the population, it has become a settled practice to devote all their holiday hours, to a prolonged debauch. These festivities seldom end without bloodshed. Of the deeds of rum-inspired ruffians, which regularly dishonor our days of prayer and feasting alike, our news columns and the Police reports probably reveal only a moiety. But this imperfect record has attained a startling magnitude. Last Monday morning we printed a list of a score of deadly assaults occurring on the previous day, nearly all of which were directly traceable to drunkenness.

To discourage drunkenness, then, is to take the most effectual step for the prevention of crime. But how to do this without too great an infringement on the right of personal liberty is a rather delicate problem. We have never been advocates of the prohibitory system, which only intensifies the natural appetites by the natural resistance to arbitrary control. To say that it is not the use, but the abuse, of vinous and spirituous liquors which is pernicious and reprehensible, is to repeat a truism as old as Genesis. Unhappily, with many the use almost inevitably entails the abuse; and for these persons it seems as if nothing short of entire abstinence would be effectual. Yet, if they refuse to apply this remedy, how are they to be constrained? The law, which generalizes only, can scarcely legislate against excess without infringing on the privileges of temperance; and moral suasion, reinforced with all the aid of striking examples, from Father MATHEW to JOHN B. GOUGH, has still left something to be desired.

It has been suggested, and the suggestion has had our hearty approval, that the laws for the punishment of drunkenness ought to be enforced. But here, again, there is difficulty. For the law contemplates drunkenness as a punishable offence, only in so far as it is a breach of public order, or an encroachment on the rights of others. The drunkard, like FOSTER, whose condition is betrayed in no weakness of speech or gait, may tingle with murder to his finger-tips, and the law cannot meddle with him until his brutal desires have found a victim. The maudlin, reeling bacchanalian, who makes night hideous with his howling, is usually much the less dangerous man of the two. Again, liquor affects different temperaments very differently. A single glass makes one man tipsy, while a dozen would leave another perfectly sober to all outward seeming. Here, too, injustice would be worked by a rigid application of the statute.

In some village Utopia, in one of our Western States, people have thought to devise a remedy by making the dramseller liable for any violation of law committed by his customer. That vicarious responsibility, it is to be feared, would hardly prove acceptable to our political majority. In the meantime, there are measures which can be taken with profit, and which we have urged before. Instead of accepting drunkenness as an extenuation, let it be regarded as an aggravation of any other offense. Ignorance of the law excuses no man, and still less should he be allowed to plead ignorance of his own physical vices. Let it be taken for granted that the drunken homicide knew beforehand that liquor might convert him into a brutal murderer, and let him be punished accordingly.

The Civil Service Commission.

The decided step taken by President GRANT toward civil service reform meets with some criticism which will not stand examination. One paper objects to the plan on the ground that it does not aim at the dismissal of the present servants of the Government, without which, it insists, reform will be tedious and ineffective. We do not see that anything in the law, or in the President's action under it, will prevent the rules devised by the Commission from being applied to the present force, as well as to the admission of new applicants. Another journal goes still further, and with some bitterness alleges that the Commission, embracing the Chief Clerk of the Treasury Department, and the Superintendent of Foreign Mails in the Post-office Department, will not be adequate to the reform of a system of which these Commissioners are a part. This must depend entirely on the character of the men. Mr. FOSTER, Ex-Commissioner of Pensions, was a member of the old system, but he labored zealously and effectively for its reform. It may be true that experts are better informed as to detail than fitted to elaborate general principles; but the general principles of this reform are very simple and very well understood. Their application to detail is what is sought for, and in this great work the gentlemen named for the duty can afford valuable aid.

It must be remembered, however, that without cordial support from public opinion, the obstacles to reform will be immensely increased and complicated. There will be against it the opposition of a vast body of men in place, of men seeking place, and of men profiting by the distribution of places. This opposition will embrace the majority all over the country of the more active "workers" in both parties, who either are themselves interested in the present unfortunate system, or who believe that its continuance is necessary to keep the machinery of party in operation. Some of this opposition will be crafty, some of it obstinate, most of it sincere and not dishonorable. It can only be dissipated by time and the labors of the Press. But its ultimate removal is quite possible. It is only necessary that the facts of the case—the demoralization, the inefficiency, the extravagance of the present method—should be kept steadily before the public view. To this end even the bitterness of the Democratic papers is not unserviceable. No one will credit their party with any desire or capacity to improve the system, and we can readily forgive them their efforts to deprive their political opponents of patronage which they cannot hope to gain themselves, and which no party can safely or profitably enjoy.

The Sabbath Under Tammany Rule.

The murderous affray in a Sixth-avenue drinking-room on Sunday last, affords a fitting commentary on the excellent management of our Municipal Government by the Tammany oligarchy, of which the public have heard so much of late from the organs of the "Ring." If there ever was a piece of ruffianism for which the authorities are directly responsible, it is this. The law expressly forbids the sale of liquor on Sunday, and it is the duty of the Excise Board and the Board of Police Commissioners to see that it is enforced. But here we find a regularly commissioned officer of the Police openly carousing in a drinking-saloon on Sunday, and staggering from one gin-mill to another at an hour of the day when quiet and peaceable citizens are wending their way to church. Not content with ostentatiously violating the law which he is paid to enforce, the drunken ruffian commits an unprovoked assault upon two strangers, and finally ends by firing four shots from his revolver at a fellow-policeman who is called to arrest him. If such a thing had occurred during the reign of the Metropolitan Police, there would have been an universal howl from the Democratic Press of this City, and the event would have been set down as one of the legitimate results of the "Radical Commissions," which deprived the order-loving people of the Metropolis of "self government." But no such occurrence as this was possible under the Metropolitan Commission, for the reason that it did its duty and enforced the law; and the public should bear in mind the fact that the chief complaint against that Commission came from the Sunday rum-sellers, who were not permitted to carry on their traffic with impunity. We trust that the order-loving portion of the community appreciate the change that has taken place under Tammany rule, and are delighted with such examples of "self government" as were witnessed at JOHN CASEY'S drinking den on Sunday. Since the law passed by the last Democratic Legislature, (of which JOHN CASEY was a member,) making our worthy Mayor a member of the Board of Police Commissioners, the Police force, like all other Departments of the City Government, has been brought under the immediate control of the "Ring;" and this murderous Sunday affray is one of the first fruits of the alliance.

Brooklyn Ferry Reforms.

The reduction of the fare for foot passengers during certain hours in the day, which was begun by the Union Ferry Company on the first of last month, was a step in the right direction, and will, doubtless, lead to results beneficial to Brooklyn. Cheap ferriage is as necessary to that city as rapid communication with the suburbs is to this, for without these conveniences neither city can be developed and extended to the proportions demanded by its ever-increasing population. It must be several years before the East River Bridge can be completed, even under the most favorable circumstances; but in the meantime it will be wise policy on the part of the ferry companies to extend every possible facility to passengers and vehicles. In this way, by making their boats a popular means of transportation, they may induce more persons to reside on the other side of the river, and thereby so much increase the already extensive travel as not to be materially injured by the opening of a new avenue of approach.

It is with this view, doubtless, that the Union Company are about to erect a new and commodious house on the Brooklyn side of the Fulton Ferry, in place of the old structure which has so long stood there. This new building is to have a frontage of 173 feet, with a roof 35 feet high. It is promised that the new house shall be an ornament to the street on which it is situated, and that it shall afford ample accommodation for the travel which crosses at that point. As the boats at this ferry are run with commendable regularity and rapidity, the Fulton will be, when this new house is completed, one of the best ordered ferries leading from this City.

During the erection of this new house, only one slip is available on the Brooklyn side, and, to accommodate foot-passengers, no teams are allowed to cross the Fulton Ferry from 7 to 10 o'clock in the morning, additional boats being run for them on the other ferries. This arrangement is a practical solution of the difficulty which ladies have so frequently complained of in being unable to obtain seats in the cabins devoted exclusively to them. The gentlemen now have some place to go other than the so-called gentlemen's cabin, which is generally filthy with tobacco juice. If the Ferry Company would arrange a cabin on the upper deck, and throw it open to all passengers, it would thereby remove many of the inconveniences now attendant upon crossing the river. The reduction of the rate of ferriage is a decided acknowledgment of the rights of passengers, and now that the ice has been broken, other needed reforms may be expected to follow, especially as the bridge approaches completion.

These concessions to Brooklyn have stirred up the inhabitants of Williamsburg to take active measures for a reduction of their ferry tolls. It now costs three cents to go to Greenpoint over most of the ferries, and four cents over the one which runs from Tenth and Twenty-third streets to that locality. The Williamsburgers naturally complain of these rates as exorbitant, and have been endeavoring to bring Mr. GEORGE LAW, the principal lessee of their ferries, to terms. For some time, that gentleman turned a deaf ear to their threats and entreaties, and an application for relief, which was made to the State Legislature, met with no better success. Finally, however, capitalists took the matter in hand, and set about raising funds for the establishment of a company pledged to reduce the ferriage between New-York and the "Burg" to two cents for a single passage—fourteen tickets for twenty-five cents—with a proportionate reduction for teams. These gentlemen mean business, and their prompt action has at last induced the ferry magnates to pay some attention to the demands of the people. According to latest reports, an interview has been held with the directors, and they have promised to lay the matter before the shareholders at an early day, commending the subject to their favorable attention. The present indications are that, by one means or another, ferriage to Williamsburg will soon be reduced to two cents. With reduced ferriage and lower taxes, Brooklyn and Williamsburg property will soon begin to look up again, instead of remaining the drug it now is.

MINOR TOPICS.

Another candidate for the throne of France has entered the field. It is none other than "ARTHUR DE BOURBON," the "direct head," as he describes himself, "of the elder branch of the House of BOURBON." He alleges that he is the son of LOUIS XVII., who was the son of LOUIS XVI. and MARIE ANTOINETTE. This is not the first time the world has heard of AUGUSTE DE BOURBON, but he has a poorer chance than ever of establishing his claim. That the unhappy young Dauphin perished in the tower of the Temple, after the execution of his father and mother, cannot be reasonably doubted. He was intrusted to the care of SIMON, a shoemaker, and whether SIMON could not or would not help him, it is quite certain that the boy suffered miserably during his short life—"his shirt was not changed for six months," the records tell us—and before very long he died. The romance about his escape never rested on the slightest basis of probability.

While the fictitious son of LOUIS XVI., and the Count DE CHAMBORD, are pressing their claims, the Orleanists are not idle. M. THIERS may be expected to do all that he possibly can to aid them, and M. GUIZOT proposes a popular vote to decide the future government of the nation. If such a vote could be taken now, the influence of the Provisional Government could doubtless work important results for the ORLEANS Princes. But it cannot be done in a hurry, and every day is valuable to the Bonapartists. The returning prisoners from Germany will have a voice in settling the question, and for some time to come the present chaos will probably exist—and lucky will it be for the people if it does not end in another *coup d'état* and the revival of "personal" government.

As we prophesied the other day, the Democracy are now clamoring for the execution of JEFF. DAVIS. They blame the Republicans for not hanging him five years ago, when they were doing all they could to prevent it. They even attack Mr. GREELEY for giving bail for DAVIS, although, at the time, they declared it to be the most meritorious act of his life. The *Citizen*, which is by no means a bloodthirsty paper, now cries out "for a sour apple tree, for a stout cord and a slippery noose." It declares JEFF. to be a "murderer more foul than COLE, more arrant than Miss HARRIS, meaner than MCFARLAND, more cowardly than FOSTER, more deceitful than Mrs. FAIR; he is murdering the Democratic Party." Aye, there's the rub. It was quite excusable, if not praiseworthy, in JEFF. to attempt the destruction of his country, to assassinate liberty and to starve Union prisoners; but to try and murder the Democratic Party is a crime for which there can be no palliation or forgiveness, in this world or the next. As a Western District-Attorney said, in summing up against a criminal charged with hen-stealing, "it is the greatest piece of moral turpentine that was ever known since the Falls of Niagara."

Our special dispatches from New-Hampshire indicate the probable election of WESTON, the Democratic candidate for Governor, by the Legislature, which assembles in Concord today. The failure of an election by the people threw the contest into the Legislature, where the Republicans have hitherto claimed a majority of two; but it seems that a WILSON has turned up in the Granite State, in the person of one LEONA, a member-elect from Lancaster, who has announced his intention to vote with the Democracy. As two Republican members are detained at home by sickness, this will give the Democrats a majority, and enable them to elect the Governor. It is of no great importance any way, as the Governor only holds office one year, and the Republicans are not likely to be caught napping another Spring.

The story about President GRANT having refused to appoint a son of the late Gen. THOMAS FRANCIS MEAGHER a cadet at West Point, and about his giving the place to a son of BRIGHAM YOUNG, turns out, like most of the slanders emanating from the same source, to be a base fabrication. The President knew nothing of the appointment until he saw it announced in the newspapers. With reference to Gen. MEAGHER, his sympathizers believed that his application favorably, and, at the proper time, sent the appointment to the War Office, when it was returned with the information that young MEAGHER had already been appointed by Congressman ROOSEVELT, of this City. There was no more delay in making the appointment than in others that were sent in at the same time, and there certainly was no occasion for unpleasant haste in this case, as at the time the appointment was made, young MEAGHER had never been in the United States, and, so far as appears, he has not yet arrived in the country. The petty slanders that are put in circulation by certain Democratic newspapers for the purpose of injuring Gen. GRANT are a disgrace to civilized beings.

The insurance companies of this City yesterday united in presenting a well-deserved testimonial to Hon. G. HILTON SCRIBNER, of Yonkers, who was one of the few faithful, honest, and capable members of the last Legislature. Interesting speeches were made on the occasion by Hon. WM. BARNES, late Superintendent of the Insurance Department; Hon. CHAUNCEY DEPEW and Hon. WM. ORTON, each of whom urged, with much emphasis, the importance of business men and capitalists taking a more active interest in politics and governmental affairs. Mr. BARNES warned the merchants of this City, of whom there were a large number present, that the time was fast approaching when they would be forced to perform their political duties as citizens of the Republic, for the protection of their own lives and property. Although neither a prophet nor the son of a prophet, he called upon them to mark his prediction, that if the business of politics in this State was left to the control of the class of men who had managed it for the last two years, there were those now living who would witness the horrors of the Paris Commune repeated in this City, with aggravated cruelty and destruction.

Holidays for Sunday-school children, such as are now a regular "institution" in the neighboring City of Brooklyn, are not so generally allowed in this City as ought to be. Thousands of children—the Committee of Managers say as many as thirty thousand—in the gayest attire, with silken flags and banners of every hue, device, and shape, with plentiful music, marched today for a couple of hours through streets thronged with observers, and early hung with flags and mottoes. Of course, there is drawback to the procession. Many children are overtired, and, very many, improperly dressed, are exposed to colds or excessive heat, as the weather may be; but the scene presented is, in gayety and innocent splendor, not easily equaled.

The report of the meeting of the Tammany Republican General Committee, held the other night, is worthy of Mr. TWEEDY and his friends. Overwhelmed by the evidence produced to show, in contradiction of all assertion, that the roll of the so-called Republican Association in the Eleventh District was nothing but a collection of the names of non-residents or non-existent persons, the Committee appointed by Mr. GREELEY reported that it was absolutely necessary that there should be a new enrollment in that district, and the General Committee so acted. But, immediately afterward, the Committee also decided that the officers of the Association, and the delegates to the General Committee, should remain as at present. In other words, after confessing that the roll by which the officers of the Association and its delegates were elected was so hopelessly corrupt that a mere revision would not do, but that there must be an entirely new roll made, the same Committee votes that the officers and delegates elected by votes cast in the name of the dummies upon this roll shall continue in office. Surely such stupidity is inexcusable. If it continues, Mr. TWEED will certainly stop the pay of his hirelings, for such work brings him no return except contempt and defeat. If REITHMANN, CONOVER, GEDDLEY, MASTERS & CO. want to continue to finger Tammany money, they must do as the ostrich does, and hide at least one portion of their persons.

Notes of Amusements.

The re-election of officers of the Philharmonic Society has been held. Mr. GEORGE F. BRIGGS has been re-elected President, and Mr. CARL BERGMANN, Conductor. We have reason to believe that the season just ended has been the most remunerative ever given.... A performance, by which the widow and child of the late Mr. DAN. SYMONDS are to benefit, takes place at the Olympic, on the afternoon of June 12. Mr. JEFFERSON, we believe, has generously consented to take part in it.... Mr. JOHN BROUGHAM was seized with illness, while acting in Hartford, on Saturday night. Since then he has been confined to his bed, and the intended representations of Monday, in Springfield, did not take place.

Columbia Yacht Club Regatta.

The Columbia Yacht Club held a meeting last evening in their Club-house, Fifty-second-street and North River, Commodore JOHN A. WEAVER, presiding.

Mr. P. VALENTINE, Jr., for the Committee on Arrangements for the annual regatta, reported the following programme: The regatta to take place on the 21st inst.; the boats to form in line at the Club-house at 10 o'clock A. M., and start at 10 o'clock sharp. They will round a stake-boat off Fort Lee, from east to west, thence to and around a stake-boat anchored off the Coal Docks, below Day's Point, rounding it from west to east, and then back to the stake-boat anchored off the Club-house, inside the former. The course is to be sailed over three times. The table of time to be allowed for difference in size of competing boats was referred back to the Committee for further consideration. The judges of the race will be Benjamin BOWNE, President SHEARMAN, JOHN MATTHEWS and Judge CONNOLLY. The steamer *Fort Lee* will accompany the yachts on the course, and, for the accommodation of those wishing to view the race, will leave the foot of Christopher-street at 9 o'clock A. M., Thirty-fourth-street at 9½ o'clock, and Fifty-second-street at 10 o'clock A. M.

The Yacht Columbia.

The schooner-yacht *Columbia*, just from Philadelphia, anchored at Staten Island yesterday. Baffling winds were encountered on the last, but the yacht acted admirably throughout the trip. The *Columbia* is owned and commanded by Rear-Commodore FRANKLIN OSGOOD, and is a model of American yacht-building. She is 118 feet long, with 27½ feet keel, and of 166.36 tons burden, by Custom-house measurement. She was built at Chester, Penn., and cost about $70,000. She carries large sails than any other yacht in the squadron. Her cabin is a marvel of luxury, and is probably the most richly-furnished cabin in the world. The floor is laid with the finest velvet carpet, the fittings and furniture are of black-walnut, selected for the purpose. Satin damask of rare and costly patterns covers the cushioned settees, and the ceiling is silver decorated with valuable bronzes and prints, was by Commodore OSGOOD in former days. The *Columbia* will take part in the June regatta of the New-York Yacht Club.

The Military Visitors from Albany.

The Twenty-fifth Regiment of Albany, which on Monday night encamped on the festival grounds at the East River Park, was yesterday forenoon engaged, with the Eleventh Regiment, in prize sharpshooting, which attracted a large attendance of visitors, including military men, representing various City regiments. The principal prizes were gold and silver medals, which, at the close of the exercises were distributed. Subsequently the Twenty-fifth Regiment, accompanied by the officers of the Eleventh, embarked on board of a steamer and sailed on an excursion down the East River. The officers of the Twenty-fifth Regiment were last evening entertained by those of the Eleventh at a banquet at the Germania Assembly Rooms.

MASONRY.

Annual Meeting of the Grand Lodge of New-York.

Address of Grand Master Anthon—Reports Received—Appointment of Working Committees—General Business Transacted.

The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of the ancient and honorable fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New-York assembled yesterday afternoon at Apollo Hall, corner of Broadway and Twenty-eighth-street, for its annual convention. Nearly all the grand officers were present at the first session, and others, in full regalia, together with the representatives of subordinate Lodges in the State to the number of about 2,000, made the assemblage an imposing one. The Lodge was opened in due form at 2½ P. M., the respective grand officers taking their appropriate stations, and with prayer offered by R. W. and Rev. R. H. Schoonmaker, Grand Chaplain. After opening, an ode composed for the occasion was finely rendered by a choir selected for the purpose, under the direction of W. W. S. BENEDICT, of St. Cecile Lodge, No. 586, of this City.

On motion of R. W. W. T. WOODRUFF, all Master Masons of subordinate Lodges in good and regular standing were permitted to visit the Grand Lodge during the session.

At the conclusion of the ode, R. W. and Rev. JOHN G. WESTON, Grand Chaplain, delivered the annual chaplain's address, an address containing much of interest to the craft, and which was listened to throughout with general attention. On motion of W. ISAAC L. BROWN, it was ordered that the address be printed in full in the proceedings.

M. W. JOHN H. ANTHON, Grand Master, next spoke as follows:

THE GRAND MASTER'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

Officers, Members of the M. W. Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New-York:

With the return of Summer comes the annual Communication of the General Assembly of Masons. It is meet, then, that we submit to the Grand Lodge, in a formal address, the state of our Craft. This convention is opened with music and solemn service, and we proceed to act in harmony and brotherly love in rendering account of our stewardship. I trust that all will try so to act. It is only in this way that we will try to be just. It is only in this way that like all human efforts, it has no doubt had error and imperfection, and that for all I am guilty to hear, kindly to judge.

The Grand Master first alluded in fitting terms to the death of the year, and paid a beautiful tribute to the memory of Rev. Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Sen., who died June 7, 1870; Rev. Dr. Hosmer, of Ohio, who died Aug. 13, 1870; Rev. Dr. Morgan, of Illinois, who died Jan. 8, 1871. In regard to the latter, the Grand Master said: "The death of Dr. Morgan, brother, in the sixteenth year of his age, was to me an unusually large number. He was a man of his day and his place, and indeed, in his family, entirely united by the ties of interest and affection. He was a best of women in his employment, whose monument is his death, and the respectful attention to his Eye-laws in consequence. Dr. Morgan, the man, who had known him as a true Mason, a true brother, consistent in his church, and the citizen to be a useful, friendly in business transactions and active in scientific and educational pursuits. He was a distinguished Royal Arch Lodge No. 2, in Boston, and afterward became an active member of Mount Lebanon, No. 168. To those of us who were closely associated in the Lodge of Chancellor Kent, in the Grand Lodge and the Grand Chapter, the death of Dr. Morgan was a terrible blow. We felt that we had lost a brother, a true friend, a Mason of the right stamp, in the prime of life, with, it seemed, a mind and heart for the work, with, it seemed, a mind and heart for the work. The Grand Lodge of Illinois, with a spirit worthy of the Craft, has erected a monument to his memory, and strange the history of the Craft, if it be not recorded, and if forgotten of the world, yet

THE BUGBEAR OF IMPERIALISM.

A Conservative Southern Journalist, Sketch of Some of Democracy's Chiefs.

From the New-Orleans Picayune, May 21.

For some time we have heard rumors expressed that the Government of our States is drifting toward an autocracy; that the barriers and checks, the balances and limitations of the Federal system are in process of removal; that the people are blind and less concerned about these changes and decays; that the masses are getting weary of the old principles claimed and vindicated by the generation contemporary with JACKSON, CLAY, CALHOUN, and WEBSTER; that the best talent of the country is directed to industry, manufacturing, railroad, and commercial pursuits, and that those who are powerful by wealth are more than ready to strengthen themselves by an imperial combination.

But looking around us all over our broad continent, through every State, in all degrees of latitude and longitude, through the ranks of all parties, we have seen nothing that casts before it the shadow of a coming empire. We see no great soldier returning home from foreign conquest, the idol of his legions, loaded down with shining spoils and boxes of golden tribute, with royal and noble slaves chained to the dusty wheels of his chariot, wending the street of our capital with their bottom fields of survey. We have had a great civil war, but out of it there has come no great and preponderant spirit fitted to "bestride this fair world like a Colossus." The war demanded, employed and made conspicuous much talent, talent which would have done honor to any state in any country; but it neither produced nor made conspicuous a Cæsar, a Hannibal, a Cromwell, a Swedish Charles, a Spanish Emperor, a Peter, a Wellington, or a Bonaparte. Take the whole country through, after such a fine opportunity for development and display, and we find no man approaching within the first estate of imperial grandeur of character, or the first requisite for a successful autocrat.

But if there were one or more of such with brows and marked spirit and capacity for government, men who only lack opportunity to show what they are and what they can do, we say widely as any who have gone before them, what could say one of them, or all combined, do with such a people as ours toward moulding them into an imperial form or decorating their necks with the gilded collars of servility to a supreme master? Perhaps there is nothing also so hard to see from the hearth and hearse of our people at this day as the desire or dream of a North American Emperor. They are a little weary of bearing politicians talk about political liberty; sometimes in their disgust at the silly freaks of men in office they express a wish which they do not feel; that the country was again under the rod and the sway of one General; sometimes they rest over the ignorance of the masses, and wish that they had a master; sometimes they repine at the heavy load of taxes, and pray for a ruler who would govern more economically; but these bits and buttons never swim into the ken of the ideal and feelings which have come down to them through many generations of liberty-loving ancestors. Imperialism has no advocate among the people. The time has not come when any prominent lecturer or journalist can be tolerated in advocating an American autocrat.

The which said "historical power attendant beat their hopes upon the armed men under their command, subject to their will, promoted by their favor, and rewarded by their bounty. The army must have more hope from the apparent individually than they have from the cold and legitimate government of their country. It can hope for more from a change than from fair emolument and honor rather than to the country at large, or its government. There is no such disposition on the part of the officers of our army. They will from habit, discipline and instinct obey their superior in command, but they would not hesitate a minute to withhold allegiance and support from any man who should dare to supplant the liberties of his country.

There are also the great proprietary interests of the country, which cannot be combined and concentrated in a single hand. The great representative interests, scattered among the owners of ships, mills, towns and railroads cannot be taught that their rights will be more secure or their monetary welfare be better cared for under the government of a single man than under the machinery by which our people rule themselves. Social interests are equally adverse to imperialism, a court and all the gaudy and gilded frivolity, the titles, decorations, receptions, palaces and inverted retinues.

Having, then, no raw material from which an emperor could be made, having among all our people no desire to change the representative character of our Government, having a special and hereditary aversion to imperial and monarchical rule, the "coming empire" must be considered as the mere bugbear of timid and dependent minds.

The Four Mineral Belts of California.

From the San Francisco Alta.

There are four distinctly-marked mineral belts in California. Beginning at the first foothills above our great agricultural plains we have the copper belt, from which we have not made material realizations. The next belt, as you ascend the mountain range, is that in which the great mother vein is found. The Hayward, the App and the Mariposa Companies' gold mines are in this belt. There is much silver in the country. The quantity exceeds twelve feet in thickness; it has short pay chutes and long stretches of unpredictive gulch. The pay chutes are narrow at the outcrop, and select silver more than eight dollars of metal to the ton of selected rock. But the chutes widen and grow richer in depth; till, at 400 to 600 feet, the yield is sixteen to twenty dollars to the ton. Generally the rock is so workable by ordinary mill process; but not ever sixty per cent of the gold is saved by present methods. The Hayward Vein on this great lead proves that at two thousand feet there is no sign of giving out.

The third belt, as you ascend, is known as the Mountain Belt, and distinguish it from others where slate and greenstone are the leading rocks. This third belt is also known as the Pocket Range, because the pay rock occurs, not in regular chutes, but in pocket deposits. Labor is too high to cover the risk of finding these widely-separated pockets, but the gold in them is comfortable pay. The fourth belt, No. 2. Therefore, this belt is but little explored.

The fourth and last belt yet known to us, is well up in the Sierras. It has not attracted much attention till recently. It is only where there has been a breakdown in the mountains, that the quartz veins show an outcrop here. Labor is very difficult. The prevailing rock is slate. It is in fissures in this rock that quartz veins occur, and it is only in quartz that gold is found, in all our belts. The ores of this belt are distinguished by their having a large proportion of base metals, viz: antimony, iron, lead, zinc and antimony, but they are also richer in gold generally, and the gold is more than usually disseminated through the rock. The metal appears in pay chutes, as in belt No. 2, and the encasing rock is so firm that little timbering is needed in the working chute. This belt has been very little explored. The Confidence mine and the Soulsby, in Tuolumne County, are examples of the richness of ores in this belt. Latterly, some of our San Francisco capitalists have opened out three veins in this belt, near the famous Big Tree Grove of Calaveras, where the richness of the ores has induced them to erect a first-class twenty-stamp mill. This development is drawing more attention to that high mountain range.

The McManus Suicide.

Coroner HERRMAN held an inquest, yesterday, in the case of MARY MCMANUS, aged fourteen years, who committed suicide by shooting. The facts developed at the inquest were those which have been published in the TIMES. The jury rendered a verdict that death was caused by suicide by shooting, and did not formally express any opinion upon the causes leading to the act.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The result of business at the Exchange yesterday (June 6) was not such as could have been expected from the quality of the property offered by the various auctioneers. The attendance was fair, but a manifest indisposition to bid was noticeable, and, as a consequence, the figures offered not approximating to the estimated value of the realty, no sales were effected. The following is a résumé of the transactions:

MULLER, WILKINS & CO. offered for sale forty-seven building lots, located respectively on Fourth-avenue, One Hundred and Eighth-street and One Hundred and Ninth street, all full-sized lots. None of them were sold, however, although two on the south side of One Hundred and Ninth-street, about 250 feet east of the avenue were bid off, one for $2,475, and the other for $2,450. The auctioneers announced that the property would be offered for the remainder of the season until sold at private sale.

JOHNSON & MILLER offered two large plots of ground, one on the south side of One Hundred and Sixth-street, 175 feet east of Eighth-avenue, and the other on the north side of One Hundred-and-first-street, partially in rear of the above, 100 feet west of the avenue. The first plot contains three lots was nominally sold at $6,000 per lot and the second containing nearly four lots at $5,100 per lot. No transfer of title, however, was effected.

A handsome country-seat at Tarrytown, the residence of E. R. BOGARDUS, on Beekman-avenue, embracing a large house with 2 acres of land was offered by BLACKWELL & MARKS, and bids were counting to $17,100 received, but not sold. The upset price for the premises was an upset price of $20,000. Another country seat at Middletown Heights, Staten Island, the residence of Mr. JULIUS DEJONGE, comprising a handsome house with 8½ acres of land, was also offered by A. J. BLEECKER, Son Co. On this property no bids were received. No further offerings were made and the result of the day's work as has been said was thoroughly unsatisfactory. A report of the suburban sale at Mount Vernon, conducted by S. DINGEE & CO., will appear tomorrow.

Today, at the Exchange, the great attraction is the auction sale of lots belonging to the Dyckman estate, a transaction which excites universal interest. The location of the property is well known, and all the facts in regard to it, the security of the investment, and other particulars are too well understood to need a more extended reference. One fact in connection with this sale is, however, worthy of mention, that probably no one now living will ever again have an opportunity of attending an auction when ninety acres of land located on Manhattan Island will be offered for sale. A half century from now the story will be told as one almost requiring to be corroborated; in the same manner that we of the present day listen with wonder to the tale of the old settler who formerly crossed Canal-street on a foot bridge. The sale today is of special importance in its effect upon the future of the market, and should be attended with success. In addition to the two legal transactions will also be consummated.

In suburban property, S. DINGEE & Co. will offer a number of valuable building lots on Bergen Heights, Jersey City, N. J., all desirably located. The auction should command the attention of capitalists. Sale begins at 1 P. M., and takes place on the ground.

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FOR SALE—ON 6TH-AV., OPPOSITE CENTRAL PARK, 100 feet front, of twenty-four lots, (each lot 25x100.) Price, $200,000.

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ALSO,

BROADWAY, one elegant corner plot, lot 75ft.x87, 102d STREET. Price, $250,000.

ALSO,

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OFFICES TO LET IN THE TIMES BUILDING.

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Apply at TIMES COUNTING-ROOM.

TWO LARGE AND THREE SMALL offices to let in the new Marquand Buildings, Nos. 5 and 7 Liberty-st.; terms moderate. Apply in the building.

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REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

THIRD AND CLOSING SALE OF CHOICE BUILDING PLOTS ON THE HEIGHTS OF RUTHERFURD PARK

30 MILES (40 MINUTES) FROM BROADWAY.

MONDAY, JUNE 12,

Special train, with Gratulier's Band, at 11½ A. M., Erie Railroad. Get maps and free passes of Auctioneers.

A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BRO.,

No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.

THE TWO EXTRA-SIZED FIFTH-AVENUE LOTS, (Leasehold.) On the North-west Corner of 50th-st. and 5th-av., WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION BY MULLER, WILKINS & CO., On Thursday, June 8, at 12 o'clock, AT THE EXCHANGE SALES-ROOM. They are each 26 feet 8 inches wide, and 152 feet deep.

Fifteen years of the first term are yet to run, with three renewals of 21 years each, at 5 per cent valuation. Subject to the usual conditions of the Columbia College lease.

Present ground rent of corner lot $720. Inside lot $600.

Further particulars at the auctioneers.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE property south-west corner of Cortlandt-slip and Pearl-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, June 8, at 3 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of executor,

CORNER-SLIP AND PEARL-STREET—The four-story brick building and lot, situate on the south-west corner of Cortlandt-slip and Pearl-st., and known as No. 1 Cortlandt-slip and No. 46 Pearl-st.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

V. K. Stevenson, Son & Co.,

E. F. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer,

will sell

AT AUCTION,

ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1871,

at 12 M., at EXCHANGE SALES-ROOM, No. 111 Broadway, by order of executors of

ISAAC DYCKMAN,

deceased, over

500 LOTS ON BROADWAY

and contiguous streets and avenues, being the remaining part of

THE DYCKMAN HOMESTEAD

and comprising toward

ONE HUNDRED ACRES.

SALE POSITIVE AND WITHOUT RESERVE.

LAST SALE OF THE

DYCKMAN ESTATE.

TITLE PERFECT.

SIXTY-FIVE PER CENT ON MORTGAGE

For maps and descriptive pamphlets, with terms of sale and directions to reach the property, apply to the auctioneers, No. 11 Pineat, or to LOCKWOOD & OGDEN, Counsel for the Executors, No. 123 Nassau-st.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

GRAND FREE EXCURSION.

FLATBUSH!

GREAT CLOSING-OUT SALE OF 150 CHOICE LOTS ON THE MARTENSE FARM.

SALE POSITIVE AND ABSOLUTE.

NO LIMITS OR RESERVATIONS.

The owner of 150 LOTS on the MARTENSE FARM has directed JOHNSON & MILLER to sell without reserve, at 3 o'clock, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 1871.

On the premises, FRANKLIN-AV., BOULEVARD, ROSECOMB-ST., ROSECOMB and PROSPECT PARK, all his remaining interest in the aforesaid farm.

This farm is well known to all who purchased at the sales of March and June last. At that time 600 LOTS were sold to delighted buyers. The property to be closed out at the coming sale is only half a mile from

PROSPECT PARK,

FRANKLIN-AV, BOULEVARD, MINNA, CLEMENTINA, TEHAMA, CHESTER and PARK STS., MARTENSE LANE and EVERGREEN PLACE.

All of the streets laid down on the map of Martense farm have been adopted and confirmed by the Commissioners on their new Kings County Map, and consequently will remain forever unchanged.

Special cars will leave Hamilton Ferry between 12 and 1 o'clock on the day of sale.

INVESTORS WILL FIND THIS THE GREATEST OPPORTUNITY EVER OFFERED TO PURCHASE DESIRABLE LOTS AT LOW PRICES.

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For further particulars and maps apply to JOHNSON & MILLER, Auctioneers, at their offices, No. 309 Montague-st., Brooklyn, and No. 38 Nassau-st., New-York.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

BY JOHNSON & MILLER, NO. 38 NASSAU-ST., NEW-YORK.

Absolute sale, without reserve,

267 Choice Villa Plots,

Splendidly situated on the heights of

Rutherfurd Park,

on the premises, at 1 o'clock P. M., on

TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 1871.

Situated on an elevated plateau, commanding magnificent views and surrounded by first-class improvements, the above is, without exception, the CHOICEST PROPERTY EVER OFFERED IN THIS POPULAR LOCALITY.

The streets are opened. Plank walks extend from the depot to the property. The title is indisputable.

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EVERY PLOT OFFERED WILL BE POSITIVELY SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER.

TERMS—Fifteen per cent, and auctioneer fees of $10 per lot down at the sale, fifteen per cent. in ninety days and balance on mortgage for five years.

Train will leave via Pavonia Ferry, foot of Chambers-st, at 10 M., precisely.

Lunch on the arrival of the train.

Remember the day, TUESDAY, June 13.

Free tickets, maps, &c., may be had of JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 38 Nassau-st., New-York.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

POSITIVE SALE

OF 600 LOTS OF GROUND,

At Fordham, Westchester County,

NEAR THE DEPOT,

ADJOINING THE ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE GROUNDS AND THE LORILLARD ESTATE,

AT AUCTION,

THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1871,

AT 1 P. M., AT ARMSTRONG'S HOTEL,

BY A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO.,

BEING FORMERLY PART OF THE POWELL FARM.

These lots are among the most valuable in this part of Westchester County, being on the Southern Boulevard, and on Union and Crescent, Cambreleng and Lorillard ave., and West Farm road. The Viaduct Railroad now in progress, will make this one of the most valuable properties now before the public. Terms favorable. Take 11½ A. M. trains from Harlem Depot, 4th-av. and 26th-st. Maps at No. 77 Cedar-st.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

NEW-YORK, June 1, 1871.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY formed a copartnership, under the firm name of SKELDING & HALSTED, for the transaction of a general banking and stock commission business, at No. 40 Wall-st.

F. R. SKELDING,

Member New-York Stock Exchange.

WM. A. HALSTED,

Formerly of Lawrence Bros. & Co.

THE FIRM OF RAVEN & BACON was dissolved by death. The manufacture and sale of planos will be continued at the old stand, Nos. 149 and warerooms, Nos. 149 and 151 Baxter-st., by RAVEN & CO.

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ARCHITECTURAL IRON-WORKS

Having recently enclosed several large contracts, such as the Hartford Depot at 42d-st. and the Dime Savings Bank for Savings, Kemp's Building, Powers' Commercial Block, Rochester, &c., and having facilities and skilled workmen second to no similar establishment in New-York, we are now prepared to enter into new contracts for IRON BUILDINGS of any design, and especially to do ALL KINDS OF ARCHITECTURAL IRON-WORK in the best manner and at the lowest prices. Apply in rear of Avenues B and C.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against CHRISTOPHER BALMFORTH, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, at her place of business, in the office of Underhill & Underwood, No. 54 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 24th day of July next.—Dated New-York, the 14th day of January, 1871.

ELIZABETH BALMFORTH,

Executrix of Christopher Balmforth, deceased.

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26, 1871.

Sealed proposals to furnish materials for the several navy-yards for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1872, will be received at this Bureau until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 20th of June next, at which time the proposals will be opened.

Printed schedules, in which the materials and articles required are embraced, with form of offer and guarantee, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all of the classes named therein, by the commandants of the several navy-yards, for the classes for the yards under their command, or by the Pay-master stationed thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all of the yards.

To prevent confusion and fallacies in making the offers, no bid will be received which contains classes for more than one yard in one envelope, nor any bid which is not parted and complete in itself, according to the forms of offer and guarantee, and each individually of a separate seal for the bid and contract.

Bidders are referred to the printed instructions, which will be furnished with the schedules, and they are hereby cautioned and particularly notified, that their bids should be made on the printed form prescribed by the Bureau, and be mailed in time to reach their destination before the time expires for receiving them.

No bid will be considered which shall be received after the period stated, and no allowance will be made for failures of the mails.

The proposal must be accompanied by a certificate from the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the bidder resides, that he has a license to deal in the articles for which he proposes; *and by direction of the Department, bids or offers will be received only from parties who are bona fide dealers in, or manufacturers of, the articles they offer to furnish.* The guarantors must be certified by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guarantee required by law, the Navy Department, however, reserving the right to reject the lowest bid, or any bid which it may deem unreasonable.

Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to the satisfaction of the Navy Department.

An additional security of twenty per cent will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contracts shall have been completed, and eighty per centum of the amount of each bill, approved in triplicate by the Commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the Pay-master of the station designated in the contract, or, if none is specified, by the Paymaster of the station nearest the yard where the goods are delivered, within ten days after they shall have for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

The classes of this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows:

No. 1, White Oak Logs; No. 2, White Oak Keel Pieces; No. 3, White Oak Curved Timber; No. 4, Yellow Pine Logs; No. 5, Yellow Pine Beams; No. 6, Pine Beams at Navy Island Yard; No. 7, Yellow Pine Mast Timber—Oregon Pine Mast Timber at Mare Island Yard; No. 11, White Pine Logs; No. 12, White Pine Mast Timber; No. 13, White Pine Plank, Boards—Sugar Pine Boards at Mare Island Yard; No. 15, White Ash, Elm, Beech, White Ash, Red-wood at Mare Island Yard; No. 16, White Ash Oars; No. 18, Black-walnut, Mahogany, Maple, Cherry; No. 19, Spruce, Cedar; No. 20, Black Spruce; No. 24, White Oak Staves and Headings; No. 25, Lignumvitæ; No. 26, Ingot Copper; No. 28, Wrought Iron, round and square; No. 29, Wrought Iron, flat; No. 30, Iron Plate; No. 31, Steel; No. 32, Iron spikes; No. 33, Iron Wrought Nails; No. 34, Iron Cut Nails; No. 35, Lead, pipe, sheet; No. 36, Zinc; No. 40, Tin; No. 41, Solder; No. 42, Rope, Hawsers, of hemp and iron; No. 43, Screws, of brass and iron; No. 50, Files; No. 51, Tools for ship stores; No. 52, Tools for sub in yard and shops; No. 54, Hardware; No. 56, White Lead; No. 57, Zinc Paint; No. 58, Colored Paints, Dryers; No. 59, Linseed-oil; No. 60, Varnish, Spirits Turpentine; No. 62, Sperm and Lard Oil; No. 64, Tallow, Soap; No. 65, Fish Oil; No. 66, Glass; No. 68, Brushes; No. 70, Dry Goods for upholstering; No. 71, Stationery; No. 72, Crucibles; No. 73, Ship Chandlery; No. 74, Acids; No. 75, Resin, Pitch, Crude Turpentine; No. 77, Belting, Packing; No. 78, Leather, Rubber, Packing, including Oil Tank; No. 83, Anthracite Coal; No. 84, Semi-bituminous Coal; No. 87, Bituminous Coal; No. 88, Charcoal; No. 89, Wood.

The following are the classes, by the numbers, required at the respective navy-yards:

KITTERY.

Nos. 12, 13, 15, 22, 23, 32, 36, 44, 46, 48, 49, 51, 52, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 65, 66, 68, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 83, 84, 87, 88.

CHARLESTOWN.

Nos. 1, 7, 12, 15, 16, 18, 22, 24, 25, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 82, 83, 87, 88.

BROOKLYN.

Nos. 1, 7, 12, 13, 15, 16, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 82, 83, 87, 88, 89.

PHILADELPHIA.

Nos. 1, 7, 8, 12, 15, 16, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 82, 83, 87, 88, 89.

WASHINGTON.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89.

NORFOLK.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89.

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Nos. 4, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89.

MARE ISLAND, CAL.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89.

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DANIEL AMMEN, Chief of Bureau.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS TO BE SUPPLIED TO THE NAVY-YARDS UNDER THE COGNIZANCE OF THE BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6, 1871.

Sealed proposals to furnish Timber and other materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1872, will be received at this Bureau until 12 o'clock M., of the 20th of June instant, at which time the bids will be opened.

The proposals must be addressed to the Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, Washington, and must be indorsed "Proposals for Timber, &c., for the Navy," that they may be distinguished from ordinary business letters.

To prevent confusion, and facilitate the opening of the bids, parties bidding for supplies at several yards will inclose their bids in separate envelopes, each indorsed with the name of the yard for which the bid is made.

Printed schedules for each classes as parties desired and intend to bid for, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposals, of guarantees, and of certificate of guarantors, with printed forms of offer, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on application to the Commandants of the respective Navy-yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau.

The Commandant of each Navy-yard, and the Purchasing Paymaster for each Station, will have a copy of the schedules of the other yards, for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposals must be for the whole of a class, but the Department reserves the right to reunite the classes, should the interest of the Government require it, before the execution of the contract. All applications for information, or for the examination of samples, must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

The proposal must be accompanied by a certificate from the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the bidder resides, that he has a license to deal in the articles for which he proposes; *and by direction of the Department, bids or offers will be received only from parties who are bona fide dealers in, or manufacturers of, the articles they offer to furnish.* The guarantors must be certified by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

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CITY OF DUBLIN, (via Halifax.)
Tuesday, June 13, 2 P. M.
CITY OF ANTWERP.....Tuesday, June 13, 2 P. M.
CITY OF BROOKLYN.....Saturday, June 17, 3 P. M.
CITY OF PARIS.....Saturday, June 24, 10 A. M.
And each succeeding SATURDAY and THURSDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE.
First cabin.....$70 gold | Steerage.....$30 currency
Tickets also issued to Paris, Havre, Hamburg, Sweden, Norway and Denmark at reduced rates.
Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.
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JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
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FOR LIVERPOOL,
(VIA QUEENSTOWN),
CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAILS.
THE LIVERPOOL AND GREAT WESTERN STEAM COMPANY will dispatch one of their first-class full power iron screw steam-ships from PIER NO. 46 NORTH RIVER, EVERY WEDNESDAY
as follows:
MINNESOTA, Capt. T. W. FRYMIRE, June 7, at 9 A. M.
IDAHO, Capt. PRICE.....June 14, at 3 P. M.
MANHATTAN, Capt. FOSSETH, June 17, at 7 P. M.
COLORADO, Capt. T. F. FREEMAN, June 21, at 3 P. M.
WISCONSIN, Capt. C. WILLIAMS.....June 28, at 3 P. M.
NEVADA, Capt. LEWIS.....July 4, at 3 A. M.
Cabin passage, $80, gold.
Steerage passage, (Office No. 20 Broadway), $30, currency.
For freight or cabin passage apply to
WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 29 Wall-st.

NATIONAL LINE.

STEAM TO LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN, From Pier No. 2 North River.
VIRGINIA, SUMNER, Saturday, June 10, at 10 A. M.
ENGLAND, THOMPSON, Wednesday, June 14, at 1 P. M.
HELVETIA, GROGG, Saturday, June 17, at 3 P. M.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $70 and $60, currency; steerage, $28 currency.
Prepaid steerage tickets from Liverpool, Queenstown or Londonderry, $30 currency.
For further particulars apply at the Company's offices, No. 69 Broadway.
J. H. SPARKS, Agent.

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THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAM-SHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.
The splendid vessels on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50, North River, as follows:
LOUISE DE PARIS, SERGENT.....Saturday, June 17
FERDINE.....DARIS.....Saturday, July 1
LAFAYETTE.....ROUSSIN.....Saturday, July 31
ST. LAURENT.....LEMAIRE.....Saturday, July 22.
PRICE OF PASSAGE IN GOLD (including wines) TO BREST OR HAVRE.
First Cabin.....$140 | Second Cabin.....$90
Return tickets issued at reduced rates.
American travelers going to or returning from the Continent of Europe, by taking the steamers of this line, avoid the tedious and disagreeable transit across the Channel, saving time, trouble and expense.
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THE FLORIDA PORTS,
AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE.
CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA AND ATLANTIC AND GULF RAILROAD.
FOUR STEAMERS A WEEK.
TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS AND SATURDAYS.
THE STEAM-SHIPS
HERMAN, Capt. CHESEBROUGH, LIVINGSTON, Capt. LIVINGSTON.
TUESDAY, June 6, from Pier No. 36 North River, at 3 P. M.
SAN SALVADOR, Capt. NICKERSON, SATURDAY, June 10, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5 Bowling-green.
MONTGOMERY, Capt. FAIRCLOTH, SATURDAY, June 10, from Pier No. 19 North River, at 3 P. M.
R. LOWDEN, Agent,
No. 13 Wall-st.
LEO, Capt. DEARBORN, TUESDAY, June 13, from Pier No. 16 East River, at 3 P. M.
MURRAY, FERRIS & CO., Agents,
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Insurance by this line ONE-HALF PER CENT.
Superior accommodations for passengers.
Through rates and bills of lading in connection with the Atlantic and Gulf Freight line.
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HAVANA, SISAL AND VERA CRUZ.—Regular Steamers sail from New-York every Saturday at noon, for Havana, leaving Havana the following Tuesday, for the CITY OF MEXICO, Tuxpam, Tampico, Saturday, June 17
CITY OF MERIDA, Campeche.....Friday, July 7
For freight or passage apply to
F. ALEXANDER & SONS, No. 10 Broadway.

NOTICE TO TRAVELLERS.

Families or gentlemen going to travel on the Continent of Europe, who can afford the expense of a courier, should never leave Paris without one. Their services are invaluable in relieving the traveler from multiplicity of cares and trouble, saving much time, mortification and consequence of imposition, securing the best accommodation, in protecting the traveler from imposition and an infinity of annoyances, to which they are exposed in various parts of the Continent. Competent and trustworthy couriers and traveling servants may always be obtained by applying at the COURIER SOCIETY, No. 3 Rue d'Alger, near the Tuileries Garden, Paris.

FINANCIAL.

NEW-YORK STATE RAILROAD BONDS.

A First-Class Home Investment.
FIRST MORTGAGE GOLD BONDS
OF
BONDOUT AND OSWEGO RAILROAD.
PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST
PAYABLE IN GOLD.
SEVEN PER CENT. SEMI-ANNUALLY.

This Road covers the most direct feasible line between the Great Lakes and deep water navigation on the Hudson River; the whole line of which will be completed and in operation before Oct. 1, 1871, and give a new line of road to Lake Ontario and the West, twenty-two miles shorter than any line that can be found.
The issue of 1 Bonds is limited to $20,000 per mile of COMPLETED ROAD, the coupons payable in gold in the city. Price of the Bonds, at in currency, and accrued interest.
Full particulars of the above, and the Bonds for sale by
EDWARD HAIGHT & CO.,
No. 9 Wall-st.,
Financial Agents of the R. and O. R. R. Co.

TURNER BROTHERS,
M. C. Turner, T. C. Turner, J. Turner, R. Turner. } BANKERS, { A. Turner, G. M. Turner, J. S. Decker.
No. 14 Nassau-st., N. Y.,
(Corner Pine-st., opposite United States Treasury.)
The Accounts of Banks, Bankers, Merchants, and others, are solicited.
Interest allowed on Deposits.
Certificates of Deposit issued, available at all business centres.
Collections made on all points. Governments, Stocks, Bonds Gold, &c., Bought and Sold on Commission. Liberal Advances made on Approved Securities.

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Howes & Macy, Bankers,
(The successors to Spencer Trask,)
No. 20 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK,
Have unusual facilities for making Collections on any part of the Union or Canada, with immediate Returns, at the very lowest Current Rates.
4 PER CENT. ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS

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BANKERS,
No. 14 Wall-st.,
FINANCIAL AGENTS OF THE U. S. TREASURY
FOR THE
NEW GOVERNMENT LOAN.
5 Per Cent. Gold Bonds,
COUPON OR REGISTERED; INTEREST QUARTERLY.
All classes of securities received in payment at their market value, free of commission.

TUCKER, ANDREWS & CO.,
No. 52 WALL-ST.,
announce that they are now ready to draw bills and issue credits on
JAS. W. TUCKER & CO.,
NOS. 3 AND 4 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS,
AND
BARTHOLOMEW HOUSE, BANK, LONDON.

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BANKERS
NO. 70 BROADWAY.
Issue Bills of Exchange, Commercial and Travelers' Credits on the Principal cities of Europe. Credits arranged for against deposits of United States or other approved securities. Interest allowed on gold or currency deposits.

JOHN HUNTER & CO.,
NO. 8 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.
Issue Circular Letters of Credit for Travelers, and Draw Bills on
MUNROE & CO., No. 7 Rue Scribe, Paris,
Payable in GOLD or equivalent.

ELEVENTH WARD BANK.
NEW-YORK, June 5, 1871.
The annual election for Directors of this institution for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House, Avenue D, corner 10th-st., WEDNESDAY, June 14, 1871. Polls open from 12 M. to 2 P. M.
CHAS. E. BROWN, Cashier.

ENTIRELY SAFE AND PROFITABLE.
Eight per cent. Bonds at 75 and interest.
Ten per cent. Bonds at 90 and interest.
Fifteen per cent. Bonds at par and interest.
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BROWN BROTHERS & CO.
NO. 59 WALL-ST.
Issue COMMERCIAL and TRAVELERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

OFFICE OF THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INS. CO.,
No. 128 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK,
May 30, 1871.
AT THE REGULAR ANNUAL ELECTION for Directors, held at the office of the Company on Monday, May 29, 1871, the following were elected as the Board of Directors for the ensuing year:
Josiah Lane, J. Auchincloss, John Bryan,
W. Whitewright, Oliver S. Carter, S. H. R. Tyson,
R. M. Hatchford, Wm. Barron, E. W. Blesdoe,
Caleb Swan, C. H. Shepard, Jos. A. Spanglo,
Thomas W. Gale, J. S. Johnston, H. O. Van Vorst,
W. Bleakmore, Sidney Brooks, R. A. Whitemarsh,
Acton Civill, Henry Parish, John B. Shook.
At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Directors, R. W. BLEECKER was unanimously re-elected President, and WYLLIS BLACKSTONE Vice-President.
R. W. BLEECKER, President.
F. H. CARTER, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a certificate for 125 shares of the capital stock of the Harlem Gas-Light Company, being certificate No. 1,812, issued to Thomas Smith, Aug. 18, 1869, has been lost, and that an application will be made to the Company for a duplicate certificate thereof. A suitable reward will be paid to any one returning the lost certificate to CHARLES H. SMITH & CO.,
No. 40 Warren-st., New-York.
NEW-YORK, May 27, 1871.

NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the New-Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of business, will be held at the office of the Company, in the depot, Jersey City, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of June next, at 11 o'clock A. M.
A. W. RANKIN, Secretary.

FINANCIAL.

FIRST MORTGAGE
GOLD BONDS,
OF
TWO RAILROAD COMPANIES
COMBINED, HAVING A PAID-UP CAPITAL OF
EIGHT MILLIONS,
WITH 250 MILES OF ROAD IN OPERATION,
CONNECTING
New-York City with the Great Lakes
BY THE
MOST DIRECT ROUTE POSSIBLE.
THE BONDS SECURED BY A FIRST MORTGAGE ON THE FIRST FORTY MILES WEST FROM NEW-YORK CITY AT THE RATE OF $30,000 PER MILE.
$30,000 PER MILE ALREADY EXPENDED ON THAT PORTION OF THE ROAD.
A MAP AND CIRCULAR RELATING TO THE BONDS OF THE

Montclair Railway
OF
NEW-JERSEY,
INDORSED BY THE N. Y. & O. MIDLAND CO.,
MAY BE HAD BY APPLICATION TO
LEONARD, SHELDON & FOSTER,
NO. 10 WALL-ST.,
AND THE
MONTCLAIR RAILWAY CO.,
NO. 25 NASSAU-ST.

VERMILYE & CO.
BANKERS,
16 and 18 Nassau-st. New-York.
DEALERS IN ALL ISSUES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.
BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION
RAILWAY STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD.
MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES.
INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

WE OFFER FOR SALE
$100,000—Evansville, Henderson and Nashville Railroad of Kentucky First Mortgage Seven Per Cent. Bonds, Due in 1897.
Interest payable on the 1st days of January and July at the Bank of America, New-York.
The line of this road extends from Henderson on the Ohio River, almost due south through the State of Tennessee, forming important connections with CHICAGO, NASHVILLE, the SOUTH and EAST.
This road was completed in March last, and is now opened and in regular operation; the net earnings already insure the interest upon the debt beyond any reasonable contingency.
The first and only Mortgage of all the property and franchises of the Company is for One Million of Dollars, (or $16,000 per mile,) secured by a deed of trust to Gen. A. S. Burnside, of New-York, and Ex-Gov. T. E. Bramlette, of Kentucky.
The price for the present is 90 and accrued interest; at which rate they constitute a safe and very desirable investment.
Any further particulars can be had of
WILLIAM ALEXANDER SMITH & CO.,
No. 40 Wall-st.

IOWA COUNTY AND CITY BONDS of the old issues bought at best rates.
HOWARD DARLINGTON,
No. 147 South 4th-st., Philadelphia, Penn.

ILLINOIS INVESTMENT SECURITIES.
TEN PER CENT. REGISTERED TOWN AND COUNTY BONDS, PAYABLE BY THE STATE TREASURER. TEN PER CENT. FIRST MORTGAGE LOANS, WITH WIDE MARGINS.
JACOB S. SHEPHERD & CO.,
34 PINE-STREET, NEW-YORK.
OUR "HAND-BOOK OF ILLINOIS SECURITIES" SENT FREE.

WANTED.
City of Memphis past-due Coupons.
State of Tennessee past-due Coupons.
ALBERT HACHFIELD & CO., Brokers,
No. 24 Pine-st.

OFFICE OF NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 247 BROADWAY,
NEW-YORK, June 1, 1871.
THE TRANSFER-BOOKS FOR THE Transfer of Registered Bonds will be closed on WEDNESDAY, June 14, and reopened on SATURDAY, July 1.
Payment of interest on Registered Bonds will be made by mailing from this office on the 1st day of July, to the address of each bondholder of record, at the closing of the books, a check to his or her order for dividend due, free of tax, and payable in gold coin.
Coupons due July 1 will paid on presentation on and after that date at the office of JAY COOKE & CO., New-York.
A. H. RABNEY, Treasurer.

MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RAILWAY COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of said Company for the election of four directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the Company's office, in Milwaukee, on SATURDAY, June 10, 1871; the polls to be open from 12 noon, to 2 P. M.
The transfer-books will be closed from 23d May, 1871, at 3 P. M., until 26th June, at 10 A. M.
JAMES M. MCKINLAY,
Transfer Agent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT books for subscription to the capital stock of the American Free Trade League of New-York, will be opened at the Banking-house of Messrs. DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., corner of Nassau and Pine sts., in the said City, on the 16th day of June, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M.
NEW-YORK, May 22, 1871.

HARLEM EXTENSION RAILROAD COMPANY.—Notice to Stockholders.—The annual election for thirteen Directors of this Company, for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, corner of 26th-st. and 4th-ave. in the City of New-York, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of June next. The polls will be opened from 12 o'clock noon until 2 P. M. of that day.
R. C. ROOT, Secretary.

OFFICE OF BROADWAY AND TENTH-AV. RAILROAD COMPANY, 7th-av. and 53d-st.
NEW-YORK, May 31, 1871.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of this Company, for the election of directors and inspectors of election, for the ensuing year, will be held on TUESDAY, June 13, 1871, at the office of the Company. Polls open at 1 o'clock P. M. and close at 2 o'clock P. M.
The transfer-books will be closed June 6, and reopened June 14.
J. M. FORHAN, President.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Mendota Mining Company of Lake Superior, will be held at the office of Messrs. STOKES, TAYLOR & CO., No. 65 Broadway, New-York, on WEDNESDAY, 21st June next, at 2 P. M.
CHAS. A. WELLS, Secretary.

OFFICE EXCHANGE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 170 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, June 5, 1871.
ELECTION.—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Directors of this Company will be held at their office, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of June. The polls will be open from 12 M. to 1 P. M.
RICHARD C. COMBES, Secretary.

A MEMBER OF THE STOCK EXCHANGE desires a partner with moderate capital, to commence business. Address E., care Post-office Box No. 3,151.

FINANCIAL.

FOR SALE,
CHOICE
CITY AND COUNTY BONDS,
PAYING FROM
10 TO 12 PER CENT.,
FREE OF ALL TAXES.
INTEREST COUPONS PROMPTLY PAID SEMI-ANNUALLY IN NEW-YORK.
FIRST-CLASS SECURITIES OF UNDOUBTED CHARACTER, BELOW PAR. ALSO, NEW-YORK CITY RAILROAD STOCKS AND BONDS, INSURANCE BANK AND GAS-LIGHT STOCKS, INCLUDING AN EXTENSIVE VARIETY OF FIRST MORTGAGE RAILROAD 7 AND 8 PER CENT. GOLD BONDS, FOR SAFE AND PROFITABLE INVESTMENTS AT LOW RATES.
FOR SALE BY
ALBERT H. NICOLAY,
BANKER, STOCKBROKER AND AUCTIONEER,
NO. 2 PINE-ST.
N. B.—FIRST-CLASS INVESTMENT SECURITIES, YIELDING LARGE RATES OF INTEREST, A SPECIALTY WITH THIS HOUSE FOR MANY YEARS.

BOARD OF FINANCE AND TAXATION,
JERSEY CITY, May 31, 1871.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all improvement certificates and bonds of Jersey City due on or before Sept. 1, 1871, will be paid on presentation, with accrued interest, at the Controller's office, Jersey City.
ROBERT HUTTON, Clerk.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE Scrip of all issues wanted by WM. C. GILMAN, No. 44 Pine-st., corner William-st.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY,
No. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, June 3, 1871.
A DIVIDEND HAS BEEN DECLARED on the Capital Stock of this Company, Five (5) per Cent. on the Common Stock, and Five (5) per Cent. on the Preferred Stock, both free of Government tax, payable on and after the 20th day of June inst. to the stockholders, as shown by the books of the Company on the 14th day of June inst.
The transfer-books of the Preferred and Common Stocks will be closed on Wednesday, June 14, 1871, at the close of business and reopened on Saturday, July 1, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M.
A. L. PRITCHARD, Treasurer.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
COLUMBIA, S. C., June 1, 1871.
THE INTEREST MATURING JULY 1, 1871, upon the Bonds of the State of South Carolina will be paid in gold on and after July 1, at the banking-house of H. H. Kimpton, Financial Agent of the State, No. 9 Nassau-st., New-York, and at the South Carolina Bank and Trust Company, in Columbia. The interest maturing upon Registered Stock at that time, will be paid at the Treasury office only.
NILES G. PARKER, State Treasurer.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY,
OFFICE NO. 20 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, May 18, 1871.
THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST DUE 1 June 1, 1871, on the Preferred Stock of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, will be paid on and after that date at the office of the Company, No. 20 Wall-st., New-York. The transfer-books of the preferred stock will be closed on May 20, at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopen on June 1, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of Executive and Finance Committee.
E. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY,
TREASURER'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, June 6, 1871.
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE Company have declared a dividend of Four per Cent. on the preferred and common stock, free of Government tax, payable on the 1st day of July next, at this office.
The transfer-books will be closed at 3 P. M. June 20, 1871, and opened at 10 A. M. on 3d day of July, 1871.
C. VANDERBILT, JR., Treasurer.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, TREASURY DEPARTMENT, COLUMBIA, S. C., June 1, 1871.
THE BONDS OF THE STATE amounting to $200,000, maturing July 1, 1871, will be paid on and after maturity upon presentation at the banking-house of H. H. KIMPTON, Financial Agent, No. 9 Nassau-st., New-York, and at the Treasury office in Columbia.
NILES G. PARKER, State Treasurer.

SAVINGS BANKS.

National Savings Bank
THE FREEDMAN'S SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY, (Chartered by the Government of the United States.)
NO. 728 BLEECKER-ST., NEW-YORK.
A SPECIALTY made of allowing interest from date of each deposit on sums of $5 and upward.
All deposits payable ON DEMAND, with interest due.
Call or send for Circular.
Open daily from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., and MONDAYS and SATURDAYS from 7 to 8 P. M.
JOHN J. ZUILLE, Cashier.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK,
Nos. 396 and 398 CANAL-ST., corner of Laight.
SIX PER CENT. interest on $5 to $5,000.
ASSETS.....$5,518,507 64

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE—THAT ON the 31st day of May, A. D. 1871, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of SIMON DOLAN, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 4 Warren-street, in the City of New-York, in said district, before Isaiah T. Williams, Register, on the 19th day of June, A. D. 1871, at 11 o'clock A. M.
GEORGE H. SHARPE, U. S. Marshal,
as Messenger Southern District of New-York.

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GEORGE H. SHARPE, U. S. Marshal,
as Messenger Southern District of New-York.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of HARRISON D. HUNT, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Harrison D. Hunt, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all the debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 23d day of June, 1871, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of Edgar Ketchum, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 43 Nassau-st., in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and second and third meetings of said creditors will be had at the same time and place for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth sections of the act.—Dated New-York, on the 23d day of May, 1871.
GEO. P. BETTS, Clerk.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of ADOLPH F. SEASTEDT, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Adolph F. Seastedt, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 7 Beekman-st., in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1871, at 10 o'clock P. M. before Edward S. Dwight, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court.
GEORGE H. SHARPE,
Marshal—Messenger.

No. 3,014.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States, for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of CHARLES P. RAND, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Charles P. Rand, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York, and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York, the 23d day of May, A. D. 1871.
EBEN SMITH, Assignee,
my24-1awSwW* No. 4 White-st., New-York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of LUTHER C. VOORHEES, bankrupt.—In bankruptcy.—No. 1,026.—Before Isaiah T. Williams, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of the estate of Luther C. Voorhees, of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York, the 24th day of May, A. D. 1871.
WM. H. RAINEY, Assignee,
my31-1awSwW Kinderhook, N. Y.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF RICHMOND.—CORNELIA GERRY, plaintiff, against EMILY COOPER, wife of Matthew H. Cooper; LAURA CURTISS MOORE, wife of Alfred H. Moore, and ALFRED H. MOORE, FREDERICK R. MUNDY and WILLARD H. WILDER, defendants.—Summons for relief (com. not served.)—To the defendants, each of them: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 149 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated March 14, 1871.
MUNDY & STOUT, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
The complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, on the 20th day of April, 1871.—Dated May 1, 1871. my9-1awSwW*

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

PONY ESTABLISHMENT FOR SALE.—The property of Mrs. Dunlap, Lady Pony is a perfect beauty; long flowing mane and tail; six years old; sound and a half hands; warranted safe and kind; free from vice; perfectly safe for lady or child in City or country; also, basket phaeton from one of the Best City establishments, but little used; also, gold-mounted harness, sheet and lap robe; this is the finest establishment in the country. Apply at private stable No. 161 East 26th-st.

A FIRST-RATE PAIR OF BLACK horses for sale, a bright bay over fifteen hands; good drivers, double or single; good all excellent saddle horse for lady or gentleman; owner can recommend them in every respect; will be sold cheap; family going to Europe; can be seen on the 17th; coupe, rockaway and harness also for sale. Apply at private stable No. 5 East 54th-st.

FOR SALE—A GENTLEMAN'S HORSE, rockaway and top wagon; have been used but one season and is as good as new; horse as stylish as any in the City, and when in condition can trot in three minutes or better; will be sold cheap and at an immense sacrifice. A. H. POLHEMUS, No. 104 Division-av., Williamsburg.

PONY FOR SALE—TWELVE HANDS high, flowing mane and tail; a perfect beauty; has been ridden by a young lady for the past three years; is warranted safe and reliable for the most timid or invalid child. Also, a Stevens road wagon in good order. Apply to No. 204 M-st.

FOR SALE—PONY-BUILT BAY HORSE, 13 hands high, six years old; $75 for any light business; price $125; warranted in every respect. To be seen at No. 169 West 126th-st.

FOR SALE—A VERY FINE PAIR OF CARriage horses; also harnesses, in good order, with harness. To be seen at private stable No. 15 East 19th-st.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

ONE BLOCK FROM 5TH-AV., NEAR MADISON-SQUARE HOTEL.—Three large, cool, airy rooms on first floor, all modern improvements, with or without board, or with private table; location unsurpassed; table first-class. Call at No. 25 West 26th-st.

A LARGE, AIRY AND NEWLY-FURnished front room, opposite the Central Park, to let with first-class board for gentleman and wife; terms $20 per week; also, single rooms. Apply at No. 5 West 60th-st., near 5th-av.

NO. 28 WEST 19TH-ST., NEAR 5TH-AV.—Handsomely furnished second-story suite of rooms with parlor to a party of gentlemen or family; best references given and required; house and table first class.

A PRIVATE FAMILY WILL LET A large well-furnished front room, suitable for two, with or without board; location good, and terms moderate. No. 236 East 31st-st.

FOURTEENTH-ST., NO. 241 WEST.—A parlor and extension on first floor, with board for two, at $30; also a large, pleasant room, with every convenience, at $22 for two persons.

NO. 258 WEST 23D-ST.—SUPERBLY furnished front alcove rooms, with board, for gentleman and wife, or single gentlemen, at Summer prices.

NO. 26 WEST WASHINGTON-SQUARE.—Large, cool and pleasant rooms, with first-class board for families or single gentlemen; transient boarders taken; all at moderate prices.

HANDSOME BACK PARLOR TO LET, with board for two persons, $16 per week; with out board, $9. 151 West 10th-st., near Waverley-place.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO GENTLEMEN, with or without breakfast, at No. 147 East 27th-st.; bath, gas and all conveniences.

NO. 17 WEST 42D-ST.—A SECOND floor, newly and handsomely furnished, to let, with first-class board, at Summer prices.

NO. 9 WEST 21ST-ST.—HANDSOMELY furnished rooms to rent, with board, to permanent or transient parties; moderate rates for the Summer.

SUMMER RESORTS.

MERRIMEMAGOG HOUSE,
NEWPORT, VT.
This large and popular Summer Hotel will be open for the reception of guests June 1. Situated at the head of Lake Memphremagog, on the Connecticut and Passumpsic Rivers Railroad, connecting with the Grand Trunk at Lennoxville, giving direct communication with New-York, Boston, White Mountains, Montreal and Quebec. The largest and finest steamer, *Lady of the Lake* (Clyde built) makes two trips daily from Newport to Magog, P. Q., giving those who desire ample time to visit Owl's Head Mountain and admire the scenery along the shores of the lake. There is also connected with the house a good livery, with experienced drivers; boats, bowling and billiard saloons, splendid fishing, &c. The proprietor will spare no expense in the furnishing his table with all the luxuries of the season, and will endeavor to make the Merrimemagog House a pleasant resort for those who seek the green hills of Vermont, either for health or pleasure. Parties wishing to engage rooms for the season should make early application.
W. P. BOWMAN, Propr

A LIST FOR REPUBLICANS.

Complete Directory of all the Assembly Districts in the City, with the Boundaries of Each—A Convenient Reference List for Those Who Would Enroll.

In compliance with a request of many of the readers of the TIMES, there is given below a directory of all the Districts in the City, with their several boundaries. This will be found especially useful for those who have recently changed their residences, and who are therefore not well informed in this respect.

First—Comprises the First, Second and Third Wards complete, commencing at East River, thence along the south side of Peck-slip, Pearl-street, Spruce-street, Park-row to Broadway, thence along the west side of Broadway to Canal; to North River.

Second—Fourth Ward complete, and from the First to the Thirteenth Election Districts of the Sixth Ward, commencing at the City Hall Park, along the east side of Broadway to the south side of Walker-street, thence along the south side of Walker-street to the east side of Elm-street, to south side of White-street, to west side of Baxter-street, to south side of Walker-street, to Lafayette-place, to the east side of Elm-street, to south side of Leonard-street, to Baxter-street, to Park-row, to Pearl-street, to Elm-street, to south side of Walker-street, to the east side of Elm-street, to south side of White-street, to Baxter-street